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EGYPT AND THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE MAY BE SUMMONED.

SPECIAL INTERVIEW WITH HAFEZ AFIFI PASHA.

LEGISLATIVE AND TAXATION GRIEVANCES.

[By HENRY T. RUSSELL, United Press Staff Correspondent.]

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LONDON.—Undoubtedly Egypt's first political act if the recent Anglo-Egyptian proposals actually result in a treaty will be to apply for admittance into the League of Nations to-day declared Hafez Afifi Pasha, Egyptian Foreign Minister, in an exclusive interview which he granted the United Press. "Next," he added, "in all probability we shall summon an international conference to which we shall invite the so-called capitulatory powers. We hope that at this conference the powers concerned will examine with us the possibility of abolishing the consular courts, accepting instead an extension of the powers of the existing mixed tribunals."

New Proposals.

Then, after declaring that in his opinion the new proposals would go a very long way toward bringing Egypt and Great Britain closer together, the Minister explained how the capitulatory regime which the proposals recognized as being no longer in keeping with the times, had long been a thorn in Egypt's side. Its alteration would be well received in Egypt, he said, and would serve to facilitate very greatly the administration of justice there. "We have three forms of justice in Egypt to-day," he said. "1. The native courts dealing with civil and criminal cases in which natives alone are involved. 2. The Mixed tribunals, at which civil cases in which foreigners of different nationalities are concerned are judged by international judges. 3. The consular courts which judge foreigners of their respective nationalities for criminal offences. "I can best illustrate the disadvantage of this system of justice by recalling a gruesome murder which occurred in Cairo three years ago. An Egyptian merchant of prominence was the victim. His cook, an Egyptian, his chauffeur, an Italian, and his butler, a Greek, were arrested charged with having committed the crime. "Six months later the Egyptian was sentenced to be hung by our native courts. To-day, however, the two foreigners who were charged at the same time still have appeals pending before the courts of their respective countries. One of the most interesting points in the case is that appellants demand that their already executed Egyptian accomplice be brought to Rome and Athens as a witness!"

Aggravating Point.

Another point which has caused considerable aggravation in Egypt, said the Minister, is that legislation and taxation passed by the Egyptian Parliament cannot become applicable to foreigners unless the nineteen capitulatory powers unanimously make known their consent. If only one of the powers withheld assent, it was explained, the law was not applicable to foreign residents. At the conference which Egypt would probably call if the Anglo-Egyptian proposals became a treaty, this matter also would be brought up and Egypt, said the Minister, would insist that all legislation and taxation passed by the Egyptian parliament be applicable to foreigners not by the unanimous consent of the nineteen capitulatory powers but, instead, with the approval of the general assembly of the judges of the mixed tribunals. Asked whether he thought that a treaty based on the new proposals would encourage Egypt to make any radical changes in her administrative policy, "Undoubtedly," he replied, "such a treaty would stimulate our activities as a nation. You may be quite sure, also, that Egyptians will immediately shoulder the responsibilities which would become theirs on the conclusion of a treaty. But it must be borne in mind that the contrary to popular belief, the administration of internal affairs in Egypt has for some time past been in the hands of Egyptians. Already now, for instance, we are spending twice as much on excavation works as was being spent under British administration. To-day, as a result of Egyptian plans, you can motor all the way from Cairo to Assuan, something which was impossible only five years ago."

Extended Independence.

"One thing you may say, however, is that with the extended independence which would be ours if the Anglo-Egyptian proposals became law, there would be no attempt on our part to assert our independence by such petty methods as for instance discrimination against British or other subjects of foreign nations. We have no desire to cause or to be the cause of friction between nations and if, as we hope, we are soon admitted into the League of Nations, we plan to carry out our obligations under the Covenant to the letter." On the contrary, he said, the present Government desired to facilitate to a reasonable extent, the establishment of foreigners of any nation who were prepared to settle

in Egypt for any useful purpose. Asked what industrial future he visualized for Egypt, the Minister replied that above all, the attention of the authorities was being concentrated on the problem of irrigating land hitherto unfit for cultivation. According to the plans presently under way, half a million acres of desert in Egypt will soon be transformed into fertile land, he indicated and added the prediction that within a decade or so a great new industry would spring up in Egypt, based on the production of huge quantities of phosphates which are said to be lying in the hitherto unexplored subsoils of some part of the country.

Constructional Work.

"Work is to begin in January of the coming year," he continued, "on an eight million pounds scheme which will involve the raising by twenty-seven feet of the Assuan Dam, with a view to irrigating arid lands. At the same time the scheme provides for the building of another dam to be located on the White Nile, South of Khartoum. This, to be called the Cabal El Aculea Dam, and the raising of the already existing Assuan Dam is expected to result in the irrigation of over five hundred thousand acres of land. The work will probably be finished three years after it is begun."

Most of the territory which it is proposed to irrigate will be turned over to farmers for cereal growing, said the Minister. It was hoped, he added, that as a result, Egypt would no longer have to depend on imports of wheat but, instead, would grow all the wheat needed for home consumption. Schemes were also being contemplated to produce vast amounts of electrical power from the waters of the Nile. Soon, said the Minister, experts from all countries would be asked for advice regarding the best way to carry out the plans. "It is my belief that perhaps within the next decade or so, Egypt may surprise the world of industry by her development. We have, although the fact is not generally known, very rich deposits of minerals which have not yet been exploited. It is known, for instance, that our subsoil contains a huge quantity of phosphates. With an adequate supply of sulphuric acid, these phosphates could be turned into super-phosphates. Therein is the foundation for a huge industry, an industry new to Egypt."

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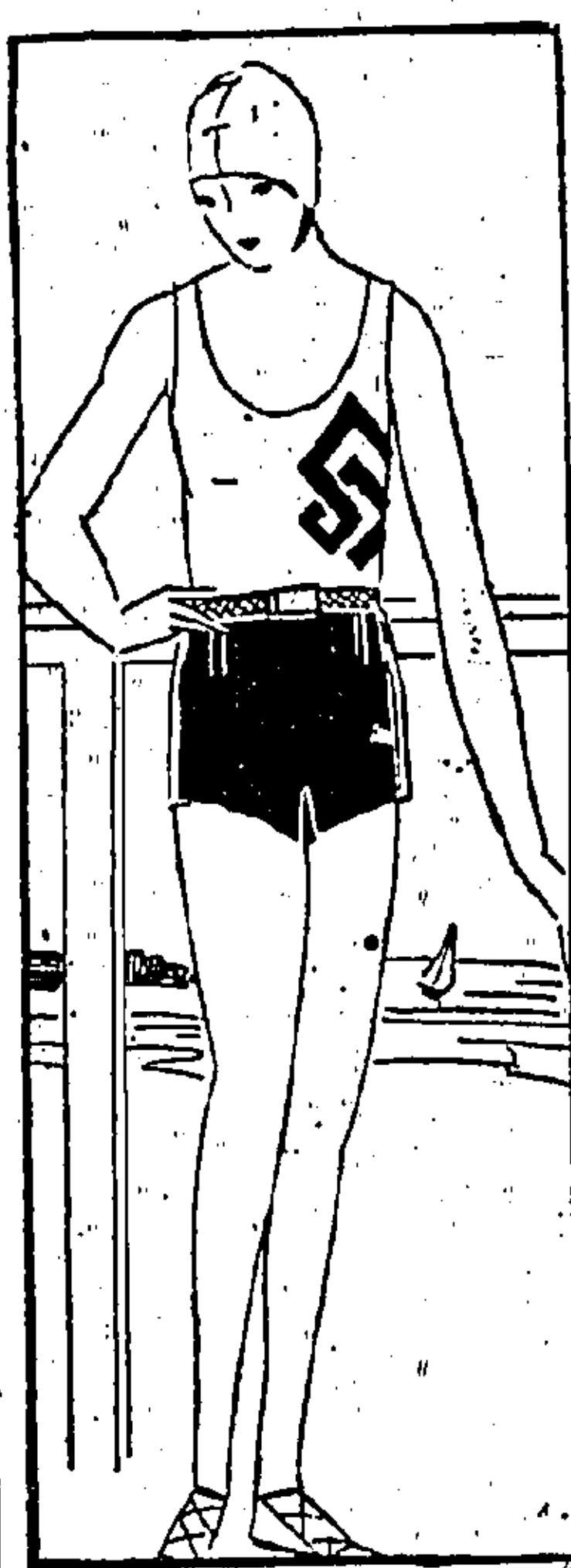
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WOMAN'S PAGE.

"WHEN MY LADY WALKS ABROAD."

When my lady walks abroad this winter her coats will provide a perfect setting for her beauty. Their line, new and unusually elegant, their soft rich materials, and above all the colours which the arbiters of fashion have decided that we shall wear in the coming season, distinguish them from the coats of past winters. Never, perhaps, have coats been cut with quite so much care as these which are now arriving in Hong Kong.

Pamela has just received a collection of coats from "Dudency," which you should certainly see. A more lavish use of fur is made than was characteristic of last season's models, and the skins are chosen with great care to carry out the motive of the line and material. One wrap in a lovely wine shade is trimmed with squirrel, the new bright navy with beaver and a pretty beige with shaved lamb.



A smart bathing dress in black and white jersey.

A Novel Idea.

I saw a novel and most practical idea in Whiteaway, Laidlaw's this week. The girl who likes to make up her own frocks but is doubtful about quantities will be especially pleased. For \$14.50, you can get, neatly put up in a box, a dress length of pure woolen goods in two pieces, one plain of which you will make the bodice and the second checked for the skirt. The materials are good and there is plenty of choice of colour.

There is also a wide selection of woolen dress materials by the yard, and I hear that a big shipment of ladies' shoes, in black and nude satin, black calf and silver tissue, has arrived.

FOR THE HOME MAKER.

Do your chairs need new dresses? Are the colours of your cretonnes getting washed out and the trim edges getting out of shape? If so go this week and have a look at the new cretonnes and furnishing tissues now on show at Whiteaway, Laidlaw's. These new materials are quite extraordinarily attractive with beautifully blended colourings, and, an important point, they are all guaranteed fast to sun and washing. You know, of course, that Whiteaway's make up loose covers and do it very well as many of your friends will tell you. Their charges are most reasonable too.

A lovely collection of down quilts, mostly in bright colours, arrived at the same time.

THE EVENING MODE.

Evening gowns have a curious appeal of their own, stronger and more universal, I believe, than that made by any other article of dress. It may be that the greatest dress-makers seem to express themselves most perfectly in evening gowns, or that nearly every woman feels that they afford the best frame for her beauty, but whatever may be the explanation, I think, that the fact is beyond dispute.

Evening gowns—svelte, magnificent, dainty, severe—which word will best describe them this winter! The latitude allowed by the mode allows you to choose which ever you like according to your type, provided it is well cut and the materials are good. In Lane, Crawford's now there is a magnificent gown in cerise transparent velvet and gold tissue, with a cleverly arranged hem line. An ensemble suitable for a dinner dance or restaurant wear, is exquisitely dainty with its combination of georgette and lace in a wonderful flesh tone. Royal blue georgette makes a gown which depends for its allure on its svelte and clever line.

By the way green is going to be a very important colour for the evening this winter.

Evening Frocks.

I learn that Eve has just received a few very smart evening frocks from Paris. These should be very well worth seeing as Eve's buyer has a fair for choosing clothes with originality as well as charm. These frocks like the rest of the things which you will find chez Eve are very reasonable in price. Some attractive dress ornaments and French flowers arrived by the same mail.

CARE OF GOLF CLUBS.

[By A WOMAN GOLFER.]

Women golfers to whom the summer months are the close season will now be turning longing eyes to the golf links and thinking of their clubs lying inactive in the lumber room.

The workman cannot produce his best work with tools which are not in good condition, nor can the golfer expect to play well with faulty clubs. While not in use, the clubs have doubtless lost the pristine beauty that was theirs before they were laid aside.

For the removal of dirt and rust on the irons emery paper, not too rough, is best, and some players occasionally have them burnished. Most club-houses have now some cleaning material on the premises, and if the irons are cleaned after every round of golf, cleaning of clubs, the bane of every golfer, is not such an arduous task.

A rub over with an oily rag to finish off keeps them in better condition. Many golfers clean the irons only, but the soles of brasses and spoons should not be overlooked. With the introduction of rustless clubs the labour of club cleaning has been much reduced.

New Balls for Old.

The shafts of the clubs should be well rubbed with a few drops of linseed oil, and as a final titivation many players give the wooden clubs a rub with a furniture polish.

As we cannot always expect to play in dry weather the little caps, so common now-a-days for woodens, are an excellent protection against rain, besides keeping the heads from being marked by the irons as we slip them into the bag.

The bindings round the grips and shafts are often loose, and nothing distracts more from our concentration while playing a shot than to see the loose end flapping about.

Any loose bindings should be carefully tied and waxed.

It is best to begin the season with new balls. Balls, if kept too long, lose their resiliency, and we cannot expect to get that extra twenty yards to our drives with old balls.

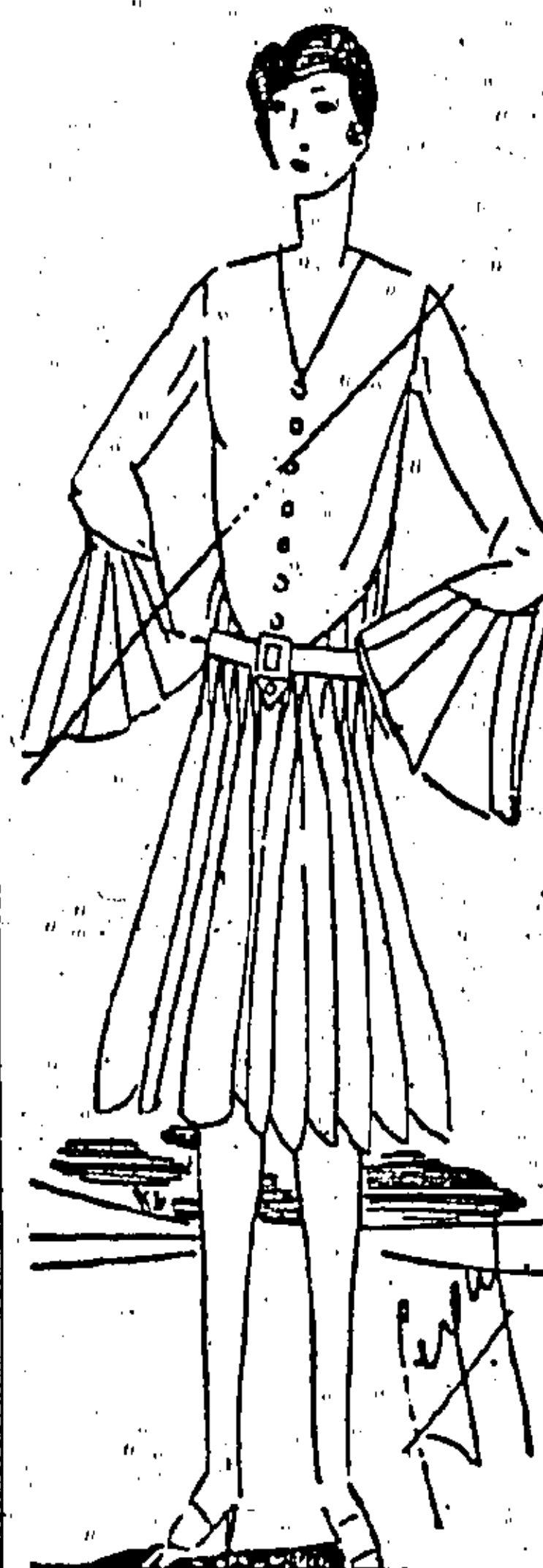
Repairs to the bag are best done by a saddler, but if we have a canvas bag many minor repairs can be easily done at home.

AUTUMN SHADES AT DOLLY VARDON'S.

Dolly Vardon's has just received a large consignment of most attractive hats in felt, velvet and satin and all styles. Black is, of course, the fashionable colour but all dark shades are being worn, especially navy, nigger bottle green and wine reds.

"The fall" is very much in evidence in Dolly Vardon's for there were also some delightful examples of two and three piece sports wear in all shades.

Cooler evenings and a revival of dancing were suggested in the wardrobe of evening frocks. One of gold, in taffeta and velvet, was particularly attractive, but hardly less so were two lovely frocks one in blue taffetas and another in a lovely shade of old rose.



Lemon georgette makes this trim little frock, in which the skirt is joined to the bodice in a novel fashion.

WOMAN'S DAILY BEAUTY QUEST.

A SERIOUS BUSINESS IN BERLIN.

[By MARGARET SEATON.]

Berlin.—Berlin has realised, good and proper, the importance of the "too-old-at-forty" dictum.

Appearance has just as much value in applying for a post here as in London, and German doctors are taking cosmetics seriously, as part of the new sports and health movement.

Very serious physicians and plastic surgeons write learned articles in the daily Press, telling women how best to retain their youth and "improve whatever blemishes they have."

Powder for All.

It is argued that, under a Republic, those very expensive creams and powders exhibited everywhere should not be the sole prerogative of the well-to-do woman.

A famous French woman specialist for complexion defects and slight physical deformities, Mme. Noel, was invited by Labour members of the Reichstag to lecture in Berlin, and her visit has had one important result.

German women insured under the ordinary employees and wage-earners' Health and Insurance Act will soon be able to apply for special aids to outward rejuvenation on their ordinary insurance cards.

A list has been drawn up by doctors of certain tonics, skin foods, creams, tooth and face powders already on the market which possess really valuable properties.

Social Clinics.

Message will be given for crows-feet and "age-lines." Disfiguring blemishes, such as moles, superfluous hairs, protuberant ears sticking out teeth or eye-trouble necessitating disfiguring glasses will be treated in social clinics.

In short, it is pointed out that the term "cosmetics" does not imply a luxury article, but a necessity in women's life.

Rich women's vanity and a wily industry should not be encouraged at the expense of the less fortunately placed.

The German woman's chief trouble is a tendency to plumpness, which, after her 'teens are passed, deserves a harsher term.

Mill-Long Walks.

Berlin possesses a spring of well water situated in the Zoological Gardens, which skirt the beautiful Tiergarten. Once a royal forest and now a stretch of woodland, trimmed and sophisticated, it is unsurpassed in Europe for mile-long walks and rides in surroundings rural as the depth of the country.

Here film stars and bankers' wives may be met taking exercise on horse-back or walking with their Alsatians every morning, finishing up with a glass of Berlin natural spring water in the Zoo before hurrying home to their massage and manicurist.

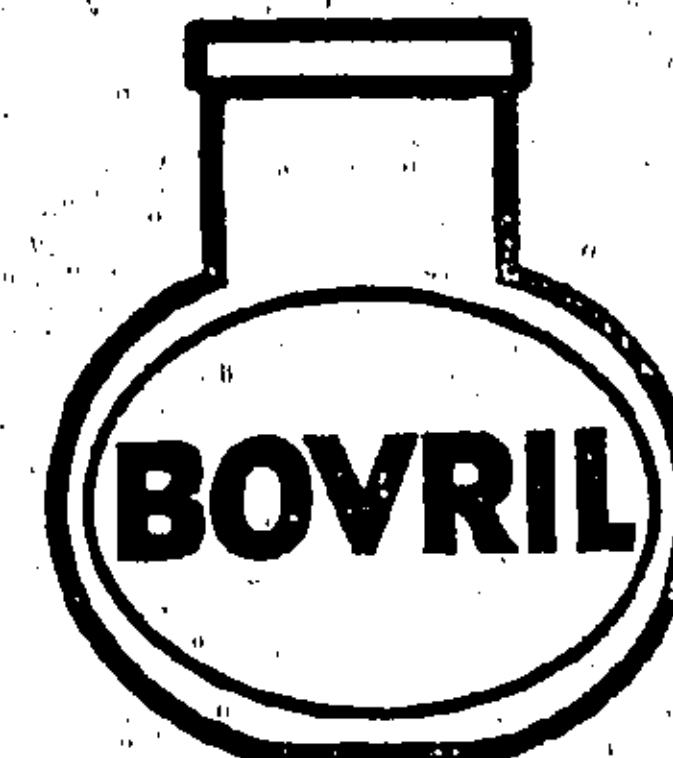
The slow promenades round the little tables where those are seated whose weights have not increased for a week or so are surprisingly reminiscent of Wiesbaden or Karlsbad.

The "cures" are said to be efficacious, provided no breakfast is eaten afterwards. Unfortunately breakfast parties have become the rule among the really fashionable set. But after the appetite-giving waters and exercise, dry toast and tea with lemon are all that the really serious will partake of.

It was with double enthusiasm that a woman's name was greeted as winner of a notable literary prize a week or so ago in Berlin. It is the first time this has ever happened in Germany, where the creative spirit has been persistently male.

The pen-name of "Anna Seghers," whose book won the Kleist Prize, (Continued at foot of next column).

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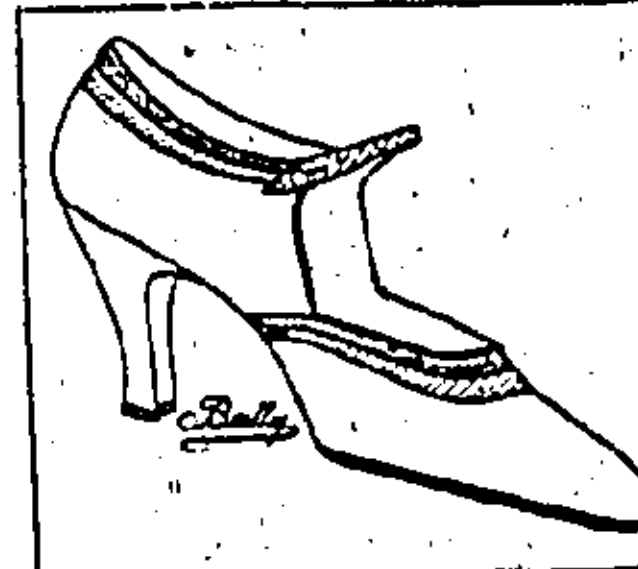
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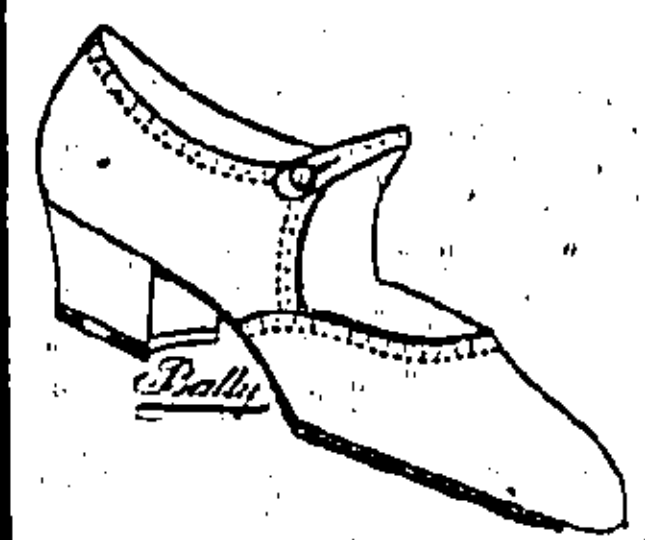
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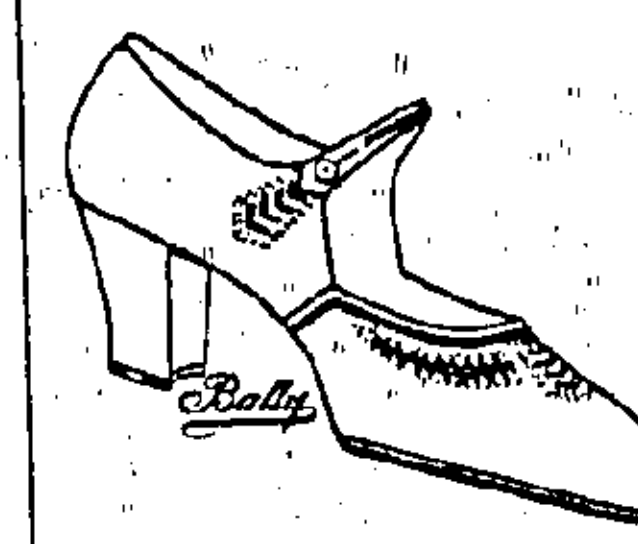
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The Countess Selma Loschek is a woman with red-gold hair and a fascinating manner. She was held during the war years to be one of the most astute women in "Secret Service."

63-YEAR-OLD WOMAN SAVES A BOY.

DEEP WATER RESCUE IN A CANAL.

Leicester.—An elderly woman risked her life to save a boy from drowning here.

Mrs. T. A. Plant, aged sixty-three, widow of a Stockport Baptist minister, who is staying with friends at Leicester, was walking along the canal towing-path when she saw one of three boys fall headlong into the water. The other two ran away, frightened.

Without hesitation Mrs. Plant lowered herself into the deep water, and, clinging to the bank with one hand, just managed to rescue the boy.

Mrs. Plant was eventually helped out of the canal.

It was with considerable surprise that a portrait of the authoress with her little boy in her arms was published as an authentic picture of an ordinary German, wife of a doctor.

The book, entitled "Revolt of the St. Barbara Fishers," is remarkable for its lyric beauty, and is described by the judges as "entirely unfeminine" in power and construction.

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WOMAN'S PAGE

TEACHING US
ADULTSSCHOOL ONLY EDUCA-
TION'S BEGINNING.

In olden days, says Lady Sybil Lawrence, it was taken for granted that a girl's education ended simultaneously with the action of putting up her hair and coming out socially. The marvel was that such an ignorant era should have produced any women with brains at all.

We may be Eton-cropped and shingle-headed to-day, but at least we have learnt the all-important lesson that education does not end with our college days, but continues throughout our lives.

I was very interested in the progress of the recent Conference, held at Cambridge, by "The British Institute of Adult Education," and especially so, because it dealt with, and advocated the education of adults, and not only of children.

Still Learning!

I remember a friend telling me one day how she had been listening in the House of Commons to a debate on the subject of educating children. The chief anxiety seemed to be to catch them young!

"and to obtain a closer co-ordination in order to equip the boys and girls for the responsibilities of citizenship."

Excellent in principle no doubt, but why do so many people confine their educational suggestions to children?

Why not choose practical subjects for a change, instead of sentimentalising? And spare a little education for the adults?

Speaking from practical experience, I know that my own higher and real education commenced when my teachers pronounced it to be finished!

I received my tuition at the hands of a succession of governesses, none of whom taught me anything practical. For instance, I consider that accountancy and book-keeping should be items included in the general curriculum of every girl's college course. Yet I have acquired the necessary knowledge since my school days, instead of during that period.

My Governess.

As for domestic science, my governesses had either never heard of the subject, or else considered it beneath their notice! The result of this attitude of theirs was that I married without knowing anything about either the care or welfare of children. Yet of all careers, that of motherhood and housewifery is one which requires the utmost study and preparation. It is indeed a higher form of education in itself.

I see that Lord Eustace Percy, in addressing the recent Conference at Cambridge, emphasised the dangers attendant on students over-estimating the importance of obtaining a degree. This is a point of view with which the majority of thinking people will surely concur, since to concentrate on one subject to the exclusion of all others, is apt to narrow a person's mental vision to a dangerous extent.

The science of higher education as we understand it to-day, is to aim at developing the growth of our minds in as many directions as possible, and not to retard that growth by "cranning" the brain with an individual subject.

Personally, I venture the opinion that if we agree with the principle laid down, that education does not cease with one's college days, but continues throughout one's life, then we should take steps to put such a principle into practical execution with as little delay as possible.

For instance, the institution of a series of lectures for adults, similar in character to the Oxford Extension lectures, would go far towards minimising many educational defects. Then, in order to give girls living in the country an equal chance with town dwellers, these should be held in the villages as well as the cities.

Mental Stimulus.

At college, girls have the mental stimulus of competition, which is created to a certain extent by rivalry of a friendly nature, and the subsequent pitting of one student's brains against another's. If the adult education of women is to be a success, this stimulus should be revived. Lectures such as I have suggested would provide it.

La Bruyere declared that "a beautiful woman, with the qualities of an honest man, makes the most charming companion in the world." Personally I think that a plain woman possessed of personality and an intelligent mind, makes an equally, if not more, charming companion.

HAVE YOU AN OLD FASHIONED
FACE?SOME PARIS TRUTHS ABOUT FACE AND
FIGURE MODELS.

[By P.L.]

Your clothes may come from Vionnet or Cheruit, your hats from Maria Gay or Reboux, and your shoes from Bunting or Julien, but none of these things will make you smart if your figure is not fashionable or your face is a little out of date. Until a few months ago smart women were slim, straight up-and-down, in fact, almost flat-chested. Now, however, a figure is fashionable once more.

Women must still be slim, but no longer flat-chested.

Who is responsible for this new fashion in figures? People talk of the Paris mannequins. They are doing this and that. We had better be warned, because they should be the first to know which way fashion is leading us.

Southern Tastes.

But they are no criterion. All the years that smart English and American women were flat and boyish, the mannequins of the Paris dress houses that cater for the French and South American woman have had plenty of figure, and made no attempt to conceal it.

Their hairdressing also, shows a contemptuous disregard for fashion, and as for their make-up, it may be cubist or shiny, it is considered a mere matter of personal temperament among them.

No, the Parisian mannequin is innocent. The women who are responsible for this new fashion are the movie stars of Los Angeles. About a year ago they all began developing figures. Since then English and American women have been following suit.

Now, many of the evening dresses shown in the rooms of a well-known London dressmaker have the bodies padded to give the right effect.

Keeping your face up to date is easier on the whole than doing the same for your figure. There are certainly enough beauty parlours to help you to achieve this ambition.

They leave no excuse for an old-fashioned face.

Slapped Face.

Hair is washed, cut and waved, with irons, or rolled around little cylinders, then placed in long tubes, hung to an electric chandelier for several hours, to produce a permanent (six months) wave.

Faces are rubbed, slapped, steamed, exposed to any number of rays, or buried under mud or grease until they are subdued to the correct texture and colour. Eyebrows are torn out by the roots (beauty parlours use the more refined term "shaping" for this process). Eyelashes as well as hair can be dyed, tinted is the word. Faces can be lifted and noses operated on and changed to any shape required.

Who says that civilisation has made us soft and pampered? Who can accuse us of being unable to suffer in these days? Our beauty parlours can teach the Elizabethan Star Chamber its job and make it blush for shame at its ignorance.

And when the foundation of the face has been achieved, there is always make-up to complete the effect. There is only one time when make-up does not do its job well.

Dancing will not hurt it. The atmosphere of restaurants or underground night clubs cannot destroy its charm. It will defy motoring and even sea-bathing.

Only at a race meeting in cold weather does it fail. It makes one wonder that no one has invented a make-up that does not look crude on these occasions. The women are perfectly dressed. Everything is exactly right except for their make-up. The powder turns mauve or yellow. Lipstick and rouge stand out glaringly.

When is this, then? It cannot be just the cold and wind, otherwise motoring and bathing would have the same effect. Fortunately, however, we do not have to go to race meetings.

MOTHER'S LIFE OF
TRAGEDY.TWO BABIES ABANDONED
WHEN DESTITUTE.

A tragic story was told at Thames Police Court when Mrs. Chrissie Saville, aged thirty-two, was bound over on remand on a charge of abandoning her two babies, aged two-and-a-half years and nine months. The condition of the bond was that Mrs. Saville went into the workhouse.

The woman, who was homeless and destitute, left the children, Billy and Johnnie, late at night in a street in Stepney Green. They were afterwards taken to the workhouse.

No Prosecution.

Mr. Fall, for the Stepney guardians, now said that in view of the woman's poorly nourished condition and other circumstances, the guardians did not intend to prosecute under the Vagrancy Acts.

Detective Sergeant Christopher said that the woman had been married three times, and had five children. One by her first husband, who was killed in the war, was being cared for by a relative.

Her second husband committed suicide, leaving her with three other children. The youngest one in the present charge was born after his death.

Her present husband, whom she married in July last, was destitute.

MOTHER AS MODERN
FAGIN.PAWNED SUITS STOLEN BY
HER SON.

"The receiver is always worse than the thief, and when the receiver is the thief's own mother it makes it worse. You as a mother should have kept your boy straight. I should not be doing my duty if I did less than send you to prison for two months."

Mr. Oulton, the magistrate at Tower Bridge Police Court, addressed these words to Sophia Hoare, aged fifty-five, of Weston-street, Bermondsey, who was accused, with her son, Frederick, aged nineteen, of stealing and receiving six suits of clothing and (Continued at foot of next column).

BATHING-SUIT WEDDING.

WHICH EVEN SHOCKED THE
RIVIERA!

[United Press.]

Antibes, French Riviera.—It takes a lot to startle the blasé Riviera these days, but one morning just recently the Mayor of this fashionable Mediterranean resort really was so, thanks to a wedding party.

"We want to be married" said the two principals of the party. There was nothing unusual in that, but even the wise Mayor of such a town like Antibes where anything might happen any day had never heard of people being married in bathing suits.

Wearing the most stunning swimming suit ever tailored in the Rue de La Paix, Miss Hilda von Herlich, of Kansas City, smiled coyly at the blinking mayor and gripped tighter the arm of her bridegroom, M. Maurice Chalom, of Constantinople, likewise attired like a beach lifeguard.

Behind them were the wedding guests, each and all dressed to swim.

The Mayor thought it was a joke, but the bride with the typical insistence of American females soon showed otherwise. The papers were all in order, and since Napoleon he drew up the legal code governing marriages which still exists made no regulations as to type of dress there were no objections in the way. So the Mayor, ripening his wisdom of the eccentricities of love, there and then tied the knot, whereupon husband and wife and their guests went back into the sea to finish their bath.

The bride afterwards explained that the marriage was decided upon while she and M. Chalom were bathing. He proposed to her on the crest of a wave of emotionalism and she between gulps of sea-water, spluttered out "Yes."

A pair of trousers valued at £15 9s., the goods of the boy's employers, Messrs. Blundell, City-road.

Both pleaded guilty, and the son was remanded in custody for a week.

Detective Sergeant Haymon said that Frederick admitted taking ten suits. The woman had pledged them with different pawnbrokers, through another woman, and had destroyed the tickets so that there should be no trace of the stolen things at her home.



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NEW LAW.COUPLE NOT ALLOWED TO
MARRY.

The law which came into force in May prohibiting the marriage of girls under sixteen years of age prevented the marriage of a young couple in Bath after the bans had been called three times at St. Matthew's Church, Wiltcombe.

This last-minute wedding prohibition was revealed at the police court here when a young man, aged twenty, was sent for trial in respect of his alleged association with a girl aged fifteen years and three months.

But for the passing of the new Act, the deputy town clerk told the magistrates, the couple would probably have been man and wife at the present time. The friendship began when the girl was at school, and she said that what had occurred was mutual. They tried to be married, but were prevented.

The mother's evidence showed that the youth had done everything possible to repair the wrong he had done. The magistrate told him he had taken an honourable course, but the case was bound to go for trial.

The young man declared that whatever happened, he would marry the girl when she was sixteen.

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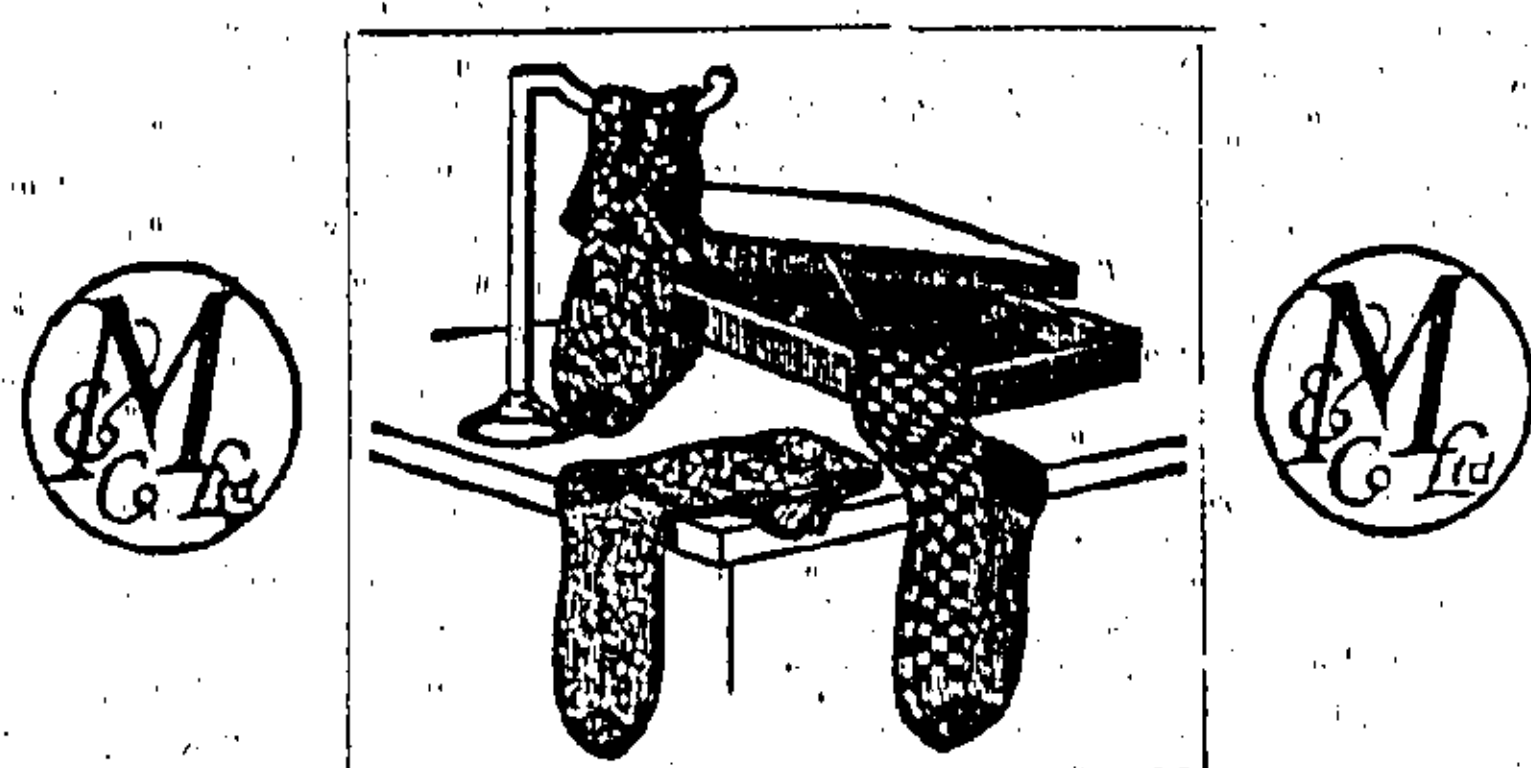
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HONG KONG INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENTS.

IMPORTANT IRON-MINING SCHEME UNDER CONSIDERATION.

QUARTZ TO BE CRUSHED FOR GLASS-MAKING.

JAPANESE FIRMS INTERESTED.

From a reliable source, the *Daily Press* learns that a scheme is shortly to be launched to mine and smelt iron in the Colony. There seems to be good prospects that this industry will develop on favourable lines, and add much to Hong Kong's growing commercial importance in the Far East.

We understand that capital to the extent of about \$1,000,000 may be invested by one of the British firms in the Colony in the project, and a large Japanese mining concern has also expressed interest in the scheme. Their surveyor is at present in Malaya investigating a large deposit and, when negotiations there are completed, he will spend a few days on the site of the proposed mine in the New Territories, and prepare a comprehensive report on his observations, which will be forwarded to Tokyo without delay.

Preliminary Estimate.

We understand the Japanese concern is not likely to take up any optional contract unless there is a prospect of the mine yielding a quantity of iron somewhere in the neighbourhood of one million tons. It is said that the deposit will give over which will produce at least 100,000 tons of iron of good quality but this is only an approximate preliminary estimate, and the surveyors who have reported on the mine are inclined to adopt more sanguine views.

Arrangements are being made for the establishment of two large electric blast-furnaces in the Colony. It is anticipated that this will have a far-reaching effect upon local market prices of iron and, if certain experiments are successful, steel of good quality for building purposes may be produced in fairly large quantities.

At the moment, matters are still rather "in the air," and for that reason we are not in a position to divulge particulars of the interests or firms concerned, but there is reason to believe that the ultimate

control of the industry will rest in British hands.

Tungsten Mines.

Steps may be also taken in the near future to revive the mining of tungsten ore. According to a well-known local geologist and prospector, the New Territories contain many deposits of ore. Immediately after the War a slump set in, and various mining concerns in the Far East were left with large stocks on their hands. This has been now almost disposed of, and mines in the North are likely to be worked again as soon as the political crisis is ended.

In the meantime, we understand that certain existing mines here are likely to be opened, and new "loads" prospected with a view to opening up fresh deposits in order to take full advantage of the enforced inactivity of Chinese mines in the North.

Valuable Quartz.

Yet another scheme to develop the mineral wealth of the New Territories is receiving earnest attention from experts. Quartz which has little value for other purposes can be crushed and used for glass-making. At present most of the glass made in the Colony is manufactured from broken and scrap glass imported from Europe and America. Naturally, this results in an almost prohibitive price being charged for locally-manufactured glass.

Small quantities of sand for glass-making are imported from Kwangsi and other nearby provinces, but the Chinese provincial tariffs are so high that this proposition is even less profitable than importing broken glass. If successful, the new scheme will make the manufacture of glass locally a most attractive proposition.

It is estimated that the yield from crushed quartz will be well-nigh inexhaustible, while the close proximity of huge quantities of various foreshores makes the question of transport to the local factories an easy and cheap one to solve.

COURT IMPERVIOUS TO MUSIC'S CHARMS.

ORDERS NOISY ADVERTISING STOPPED.

Business is business; brass band or no-brass band, according to Mr. Eu Chang Keng, Chinese merchant, who owns a shop at 3 Kiangse Road, Shanghai, and who was brought before Judge Chau and Deputy Stevens in the Provisional Court to answer charges of committing a nuisance by means of musical advertising.

The charges were brought by Mr. H. Saeger, German, representing the offices of S. A. Medicin and Company. Mr. Saeger declared that the music emanating from a brass band employed by the shopkeeper disturbed the employees of the Medicin offices to such an extent that using the telephone dic-

tating a letter was out of the question.

The complainant described the band as being exceptionally noisy and far from musical and asked the court that it either be ordered to stop the racket altogether or have his musicians cut down on that volume.

The shopkeeper admitted that he employed a brass band and argued that it played music according to the custom of Shanghai merchants. He stated that his shop was having a clearance sale and that he needed the band to attract customers. The court ordered that the band cease from aggravating the Medicin offices.

PRAYING FOR HUSBANDS.

CHINESE MAIDENS AND THE MOON.

[United Press.]

Peking.—Chinese maidens in Peking have refused to abandon the age-old custom of praying to the moon at midnight on the 15th day of the 8th moon that the gods may send them husbands.

Kuomintang reformers have been trying to persuade Chinese girls that this ancient custom is a mere superstition and not becoming to the enlightened residents of modern China.

But the girls have not responded generally to the reformers' advice, according to the Chinese press. It is estimated that nine of ten maidens and spinsters in Peking have followed the custom this year, as their ancestors have done for centuries.

Forbidden Festivals.

Celebration of the autumn festival has been forbidden, in common with other festivals of the lunar calendar. But the people do not concur with the prohibition, and there is little evidence that the Government's decree is being carried out. In some cases, Government officers have been compelled to close for the day.

Unmarried women are not the only persons to enjoy the autumn festival. While girls are praying to the moon, the rest of the family enjoys its annual "moon feast," featuring "moon cakes," a special delicacy for the occasion.

One official suggestion has been observed this year—the people have saved money by refraining from buying the paper lanterns ordinarily a feature of this festival.

TRAGEDY REVEALED BY A DREAM.

BOY TALKS IN HIS SLEEP.

A remarkable instance of a drowning tragedy that was revealed by a child talking in a dream was given at a Hackney inquest on Ronald Boorman, aged five, of Overbury-street, Hackney, who was drowned in the River Lea. Mrs. Boorman said that Ronald went out with his brother. The brother returned and said that Ronald had run away. Nothing more was heard until two days later, when a six-year-old cousin started talking in his sleep about 1 a.m. He said, "Ronnie is in the water."

The boy was taken, an hour later, down to the river bank, and he showed Ronald's father where his cousin went into the water. The body was recovered later.

Dr. Edwin Smith, the North-East London coroner, recording a verdict of "Accidental death," said, "How the boy got into the water will never be known. Children often conceal their knowledge. They get terrified, and sometimes they say nothing about it for days and days."

"The key to the solution in this case came in the form of a remark made by the little child in a dream. This is characteristic of a young child, and one cannot be surprised at the little boy's cousin concealing his knowledge."

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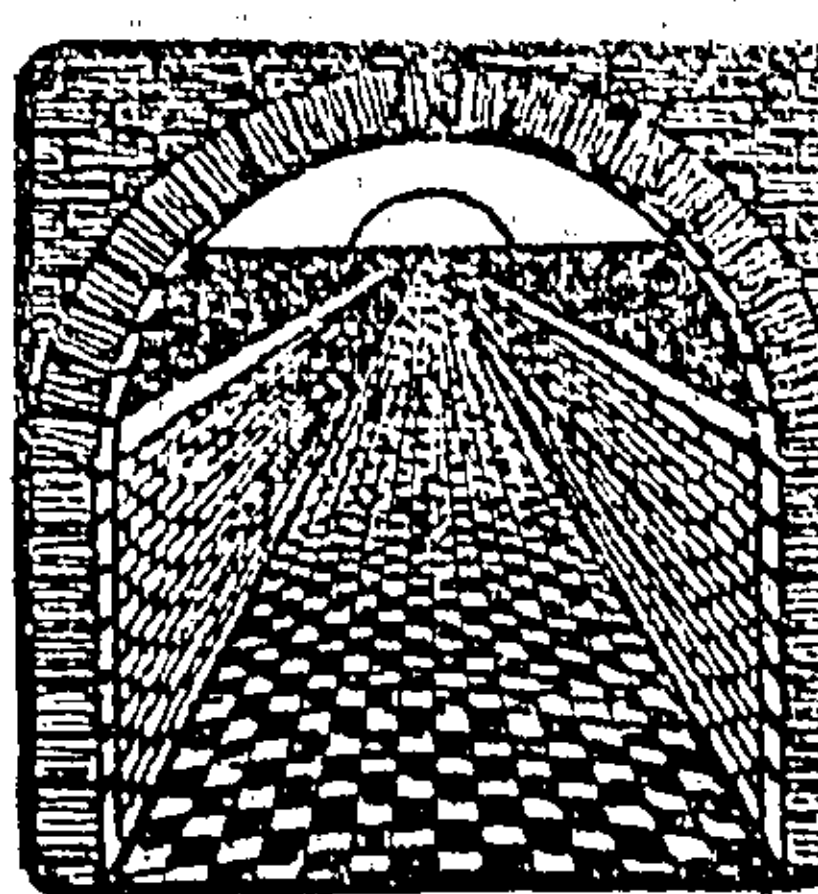
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"Yes—but it rains harder here."

"I understand Jones has two cars now."
"Yes, there wasn't room for all the accessories on just one."

Wallace: "Why don't you marry Gladys? Afraid to 'pop' the question?"
Horace: "No, afraid to question the pop."

He: "No two people can think quite alike in this world, love."
She: "You're wrong there, darling. Just come in and look at our wedding presents."

Harold: "You used to say there was something about me you liked."
Harriet: "Yes, but you spent the last of it on that car."

Angry Boss: "You don't seem to know the King's English, Miss Blank."
New Typist: "Oh, yes, sir; I have, always understood that he is."

"I was quite upset when Teddy kissed me."
"Rubbish! You've been kissed before."
"Yes, but not in a canoe."

Pal: "Why have you got a taxi-meter fixed in your car?"
MacT: "It cheers me, man, to see the amount of money I might have to be spending."

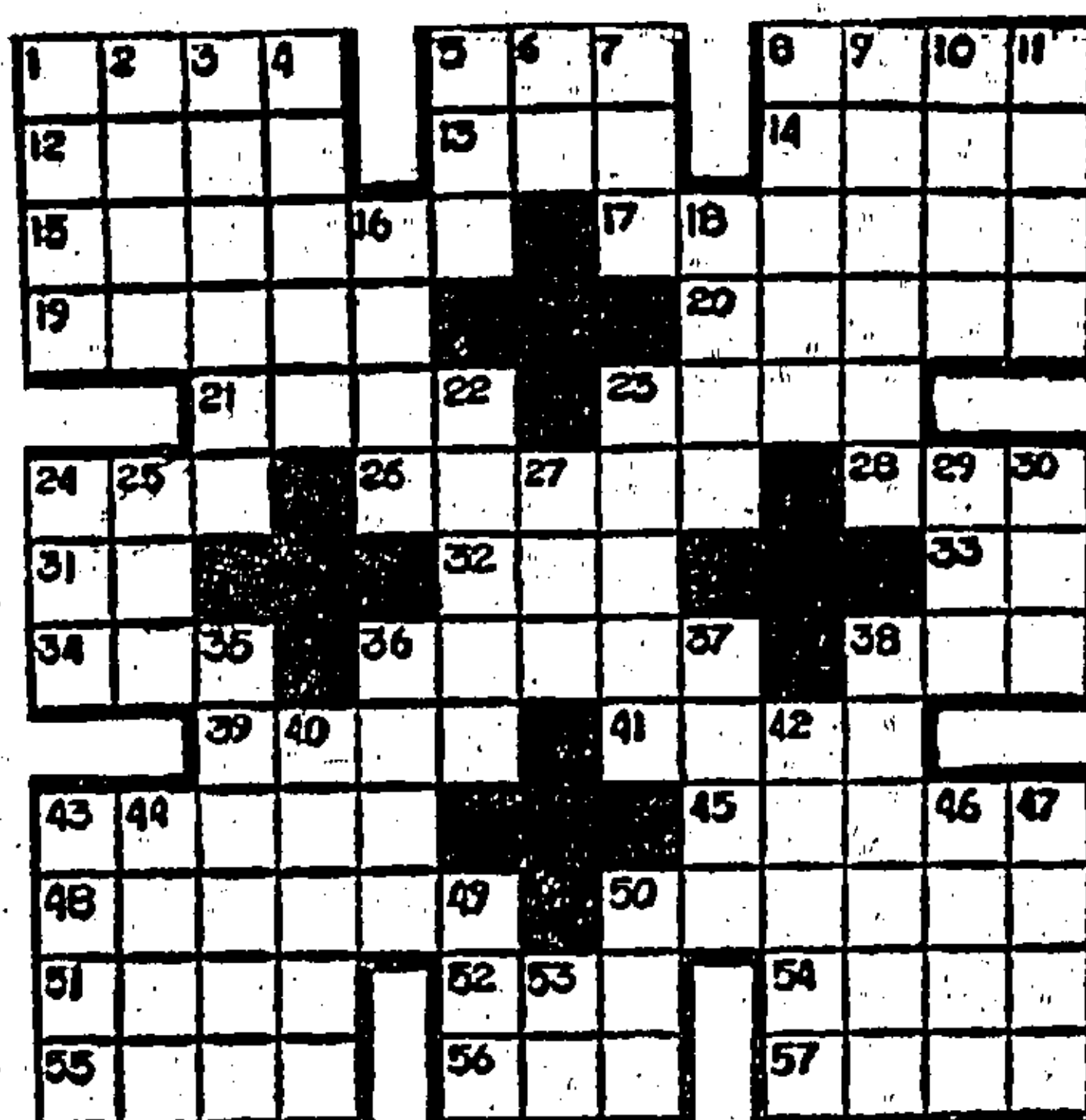
Curate (at bazaar sweetstall): "Ten shillings for a box of chocolates? Surely, Miss Coymon, you're a little dear!"
Miss C.: "People have often told me so."

Mrs. Gray: "Ah, Jenny, I wonder if my husband will love me when my hair is grey?"
Mrs. Black: "Why not? He's loved you through three shades already."

A famous merchant was asked about his success and about his contented help. He said:

"The secret is: treat your money and your employees just alike. Keep them busy, or they lose interest."

CROSSWORD PUZZLE.



Horizontal.

- To entice.
- Child's game.
- Inlet.
- Hibernia.
- A number.
- Overt.
- To mark skin.
- Great in number.
- Turned about.
- Sea mammals.
- Greek war god.
- Ginest.
- Chum.
- To part.
- To consume.
- Conjunction.
- Help.
- To depart.
- Dance step.
- Short.
- Quarrel.
- Ages.
- To lessen.
- Voice.
- Fads.
- Gotten up.
- A vegetable.
- African river.
- Mineral.
- Feminine voice.
- Dioecies.
- Panet.
- Slender.

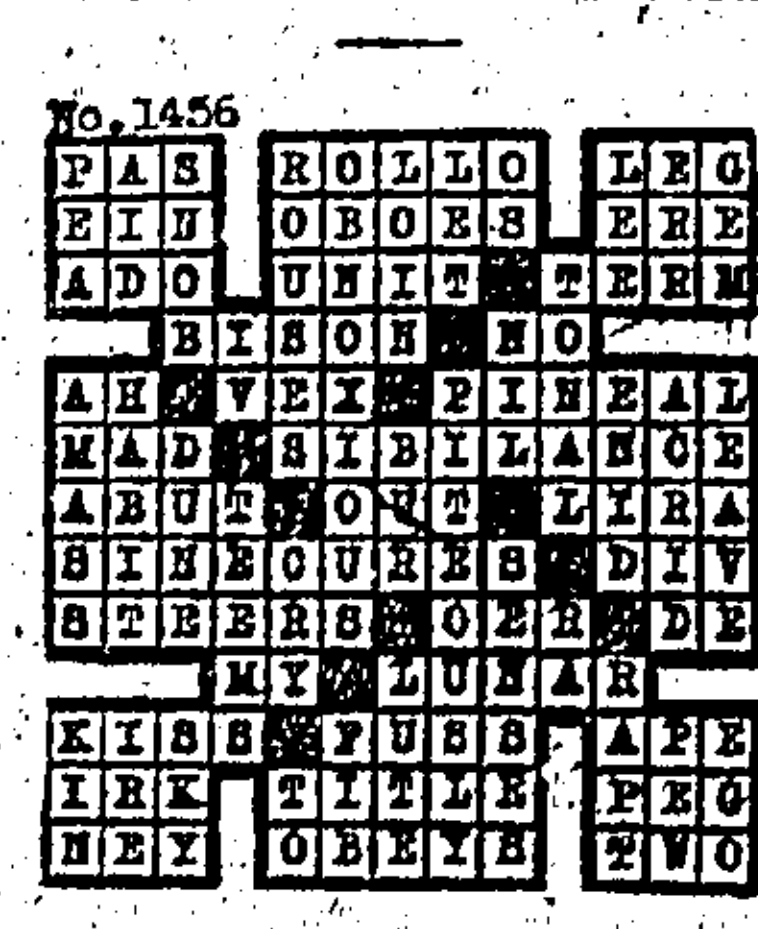
Vertical.

- Permits.
- Russian mountains.
- Form of ceremony.
- Stage direction.
- Also.
- Article.
- Jewel.
- Fruit centres.
- Narcotic.
- Calf meat.
- Finishes.
- Poems.

- Belgian river.
- Scorches.
- To moisten.
- Explosive sound.
- A consolation.
- Seven.
- In the past.
- Flaxen.
- Decrepit.
- Nude.
- Gambling game.
- To entertain.
- Flowers.
- Pertaining to birth.
- Sunburns.
- N. American lake.
- Girl's name.
- Shortly.
- By no means.
- Slang for energy.
- Symbol of radium.

This puzzle took 23 minutes to solve. See how long it will take you to solve it.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION.



KWANGTUNG FORCES TO ADVANCE ON WUCHOW.

GARRISON COMMANDER HAS DECLARED FOR NANKING.

STILL NO SIGN OF CHIANG KAI SHEK'S PROMISED REINFORCEMENTS.

IRONSIDES REPORTED AT KWEILIN.

At the moment the military situation on the Kwangtung-Kwangsi border has turned strongly in favour of Kwangtung. General Lui Woon Im, who is in Wuchow, appears to have decided in favour of the Central Government and with this important accession of strength the Canton higher command has sent an ultimatum to the Kwangsi Government and ordered a general advance into that province.

Unless the "Ironsides" can come to the rescue in force it looks as if the Kwangsi "rebellion" will speedily collapse. Already, it is reported, several insurgent leaders are wavering.

The "Ironsides" are reported, however, to have entered Kwangsi and to have made Kweilin their headquarters, so the crisis can by no means be regarded as surmounted.

ULTIMATUM TO KWANGSI GOVERNMENT.

[FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.]

WUCHOW C.-IN-C. LOYAL TO NANKING.

CO-OPERATION WITH KWANGTUNG FORCES.

CANTON, October 3. The Canton Government has despatched a final note to the Kwangsi Government, urging it to comply at once with the orders of Nanking and check the advance of the "Ironsides." The note which is in the nature of an ultimatum denounced the Kwangsi military leaders as reactionaries and traitors to the revolution, etc.

Meanwhile Admiral Chen Chak has been ordered to occupy Wuchow. Some twenty men-of-war, including the Kiang Tai, Kiang Hon, Kin Yu, Tsap Sun and the Chung Yuen, left Canton for the West River on Wednesday, and are being concentrated in Dosing preparatory to the advance against Wuchow. Admiral Chen Chak has hoisted his flag in the Chungshan, and is personally directing operations. Wuchow will be attacked simultaneously by land, air, and river unless the garrison surrenders.

IMMEDIATE ATTACK ORDERED.

The second Inter-Kwang war, this year, is therefore expected to start at any time, and already there have been sharp engagements between outposts.

Originally it was decided to wait for the Nanking reinforcements, but in view of the necessity of crushing the Kwangsi forces before the arrival of the "Ironsides" the Canton Higher command has decided upon an immediate offensive.

Canton is attacking Kwangsi in three directions. Brigadier General Heung Hon Ping is in charge of the operations on the West River front. Aided by the gunboats he will attempt to push into Kwangsi through Wuchow. A second line of attack will be through Si Wai, Kwangnien and Wai Tsap, north of the West River, under General Chan Siu Kwei. The third advance will be through Kong Hon and Fungchuen under Colonel Chen Dat.

General Yu Hon Mow will be in charge of a general reserve entrusted with securing communications and based on a point mid-way between Canton and the fighting front.

There is at present no sign of an enemy advance via the North River.

IRONSIDES AT KWEILIN?

How far the "Ironsides" are from Kwangsi now is a matter of conjecture. Reports are current in Canton that a regiment under Wu Chi Wai, a trusted subordinate of Chang Fat Fui, has already arrived in Kweilin. Kwangsi appeared to have welcomed the "Ironsides" with open arms, and to have given them Kweilin as a base of operation.

A sensation was created in Canton when the Kwangsi Military Intelligence Bureau in Canton was raided by order of General Chen Tsai Tung, and the staff of a dozen or so Kwangsi men there were detained. The man in charge of the Bureau got information of the raid in advance and so escaped capture.

The *Min Kuo Daily News*, the official organ of the Canton Kuomintang, reports that the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs for Kwangsi, Mr. Yao Yuk Shen, has made good his escape from Wuchow and is now in Canton. He said he refused to identify himself with the Kwangsi seditionists.

DEATH OF MR. GEO. MORRISON.

POPULAR MEMBER OF TAIKOO DOCK STAFF.

Mr. George Morrison, of the Taikoo Docks, died suddenly yesterday morning at the French Hospital, Causeway Bay, from malaria and heart failure. The deceased was only admitted on Wednesday afternoon. He is survived by a wife and daughter in England and a married son, at present in Shanghai.

Mrs. Morrison and her daughter were to have sailed by the P. & O. a.s. Rawalpindi to-day for Hong Kong, but have been informed by telegraph of Mr. Morrison's death and advised not to come.

The deceased was a native of Dublin, Ireland, and came to Hong Kong about 10 years ago, and has been employed at the Taikoo Dockyard as sawmill.

Keen Bowls Player.

The late Mr. Morrison was a keen bowls player and was a member of the Taikoo Recreation Bowls team, for whom he played in league matches and against Interport teams. The flag of the Civil Service Club at Happy Valley was flown at half mast as a mark of respect and the Shanghai Interporters was stopped while the cortege passed the Monument. The deceased was also a keen marksman and a member of the Taikoo Rifle Club.

He will be greatly missed by his many friends at the Dockyard where he was much respected and was known to his friends as "Big Bill Morrison."

The Funeral.

The funeral took place at the Protestant Cemetery at Happy Valley, the Rev. S. C. Young, of the Union Church, officiating. There was a large number of friends present including Messrs. J. Kempton (brother-in-law), J. Laing, C. N. Nelson, F. J. Sherwell, G. McLeod, K. E. Greig, and B. E. Fielders, as chief mourners.

Other mourners were: Messrs. J. Russell, R. M. Keown, C. Cameron, J. Watson, G. Gerard, D. McNelly, J. Polson, R. Gray, W. D. Bell, P. B. Bell, J. Campbell, T. Swan, R. Wallace, S. Hope, G. Stewart, J. Ferguson, N. Drummond, F. J. Phillips, D. Mair, A. Ramsay, P. W. Ramsay, W. Russell, P. T. Farrell, J. B. Chapman, A. Davidson, F. K. Duncan, W. Oswald, W. Brown, J. Gardner, W. Johnson, J. Johnston, J. Stainfield, C. W. Matthews, H. McKechnie, M. O'Brien, W. Wotherpoon and F. W. James.

Wreaths were from: "Your affectionate wife, son and daughter," Mr. and Mrs. J. Kempton, Mr. J. E. Hanson and Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Laing and family, Mr. and Mrs. A. Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. J. Polson, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Duncan and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. Peoples, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stalker, Mr. and Mrs. W. Kerr, Mr. and Mrs. J. Adam, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. D. McNeillie, Mr. and Mrs. J. Chalmers, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Swann, Grace and Malcolm, Mr. and Mrs. Amery, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ramsay, Mr. and Mrs. W. Wotherpoon, Mr. and Mrs. B. Wallace, Mamie and Jean, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Provan, Mr. and Mrs. G. McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Bliss and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Whyte and Jenny, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Bird, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Ramsay, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Stewart, Mr. W. Bell and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Thirlwell, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. C. Burnett, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Nelson.

Messrs. F. J. Sherwell, A. Ogilvie, R. Bell, Mr. W. R. Greenhalgh, E. Greig, W. Bell, Mr. Morrison, W. T. Johnston, C. C. Cameron, E. Moore.

Members of the Taikoo Club, Civil Service Club, Kowloon Bowling Green Club, the Shanghai Interport Lawn Bowlers, members of the Hong Kong Football Club, the Hong Kong St. Andrew's Society, Kowloon Dock Staff, from the Taikoo Dockyard and Engineering Co., Ltd., from the European Staff of the Taikoo Docks.

(Continued on next column.)

TWO KIDNAPPERS FOILED.

SMART WORK BY BOARDING HOUSE FOKI.

SHARP SENTENCE IMPOSED.

Two Chinese women were charged before Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday with harbouring a small boy.

Detective Inspector Fallon, who was in charge of the case, told his Worship that the boy was missed by his parents on September 13. A report was made to the police and nothing was heard until the next day when a foki employed at the Ki Fat Boarding House in Connaught Road, Hong Kong, informed the parents that their son was at his boarding house.

The father went at once to the boarding house but was told that the people who had brought the child there were out. He was advised to wait until they returned. Later, the two defendants entered and the father followed them to the verandah of the second floor, where he saw his son, who called out to him. The first defendant turned on the father and said, "Don't frighten my child!" The two defendants were then brought downstairs and arrested.

Inspector Fallon commented on the good work of the boarding house foki, in causing the arrest of the defendants and recovering the child. On the day the child arrived, the two defendants went out leaving him alone. The little fellow cried and the foki hearing the noise went up and asked what was the matter. The boy was just old enough to make it clear that the women were not his relatives, and told the foki where he lived.

The first defendant in her statement said that she had been given the boy by another woman and told to wait at the hotel. They were going to take the boy to Kowloon that night.

His Worship convicted the defendants and imposed a sentence of one year's imprisonment on both of them.

SOVIET IDOL DEAD.

KILLED IN PLANE MISHAP.

[United Press.]

In the death through an airplane accident of General Jan Fabrizius, the Soviet public has lost one of its most popular idols. General Budden is probably the only man who exceeded Fabrizius in legendary fame.

Although only 32 at his death, General Fabrizius had crowded numberless adventures and excitements into his career. As early as 1903, when he was a boy of 25, he was a member of the underground Bolshevik party, getting himself arrested and condemned taking part in plots and effecting escapes. The civil wars after the Revolution of 1917 gave him his great chance for fabulous exploits. He fought on many fronts and was among the military men most feared by the White elements.

Subscriptions in Place of Wreaths.

A sum of \$36 was subscribed by a number of members of Taikoo Dockyard staff to the funds of the Hong Kong Benevolent Society, in memory of the late Mr. George Morrison. The list of names of subscribers is as follows: Messrs. W. Wotherpoon, W. Weir, J. Watson, C. E. Cameron, J. C. Ferguson, J. Stewart, A. McArthur, J. McCormack, J. E. Hanson, J. A. G. Anderson, B. H. Cousins, G. Gerard, F. Soutar, A. Stalker, D. L. Lyle, W. Brown, W. R. Greenhalgh, Stewart Hope, W. R. Oswald, A. MacIndoe, Wm. Warnock, H. T. Palmer, A. Davidson, D. B. Bone, D. C. Walsley, R. M. Keown, K. McLennan, J. B. Chapman, K. E. Greig, E. Wilson, W. B. Adams, N. MacArthur, Thomas Swan, D. C. Speirs, W. Johnston, J. Johnson, R. Wallace, E. Babbidge, George Nibbet, R. Gray, J. H. Stewart, T. Young, H. Morton, and J. Gardner.

ROUND THE COURTS.

HOMELESS AND HALF WITTED!

A Chinese girl who was charged before Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith yesterday with the theft of a pair of child's gold bangles, or alternatively with receiving a stolen pair of gold bangles, was described by Detective Sergeant Fitches as more of a fool than a knave.

It was stated that the defendant gave a cent to a girl who was carrying a child. While the girl went to purchase some cakes with the money, defendant volunteered to look after the child. A little later the child was noticed to have lost a pair of gold bangles. The defendant was arrested and the bangles were found on her. She told the Magistrate that she accepted the bangles from a woman who took them from the child's hands.

A remand of twenty-four hours was fixed by the Magistrate for inquiries to be made about the defendant, who is believed to be homeless.

STEALING A DOG.

A Chinese who was convicted of the theft of a dog from Mr. L. G. Xavier of No. 3 Humphreys Building was yesterday fined \$5 or alternatively sentenced to three weeks' hard labour.

According to the evidence, Mr. Xavier saw a Chinese leading a dog which looked like his own. He went home and found that his dog had been stolen and lost no time in going out to search for the man he had seen earlier. He found him on the vacant piece of ground inside the Railway enclosure behind the children's playground. The man tried to run away but after a chase of over 600 yards was arrested by Mr. Davis.

FIGHT OVER A MIDNIGHT MEAL.

Charges of assault against four Chinese and counter summonses against an Indian constable were heard by Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. Mr. L. H. C. Calthorpe prosecuted and Mr. J. M. D'Almada Remedios defended.

Mr. Calthorpe said that at about 12.30 a.m. on September 23 an Indian constable saw three men sitting inside a hawker's stall being served. As it was well past closing time the constable asked to see the hawker's license whereupon a number of men set on the constable, who was forced to draw his truncheon to defend himself. Police whistles brought two other constables to the scene with the result that two of the men were arrested. In addition to the above four defendants a fifth man was summoned before the Magistrate for selling food after hours.

The case was adjourned.

ALLEGED THEFT OF LETTERS.

Three Chinese were charged before Mr. E. W. Hamilton yesterday with theft of letters from No. 44 Connaught Road Central, No. 54 Centre Street and No. 20 Wing Lok Street, first floor.

It was stated that an observant shopkeeper saw the three men peering into private letter boxes in several houses and "shadowed" the men. He met a Chinese constable and between them they arrested these men in Hing Hon Road, but one of the three alleged offenders escaped. Searched later, the two arrested men were found to have letters on them and from information given by these men, the third man was traced and arrested. The last-named was charged with conspiracy to steal the letters, as no actual letter was found on him. The case was adjourned.

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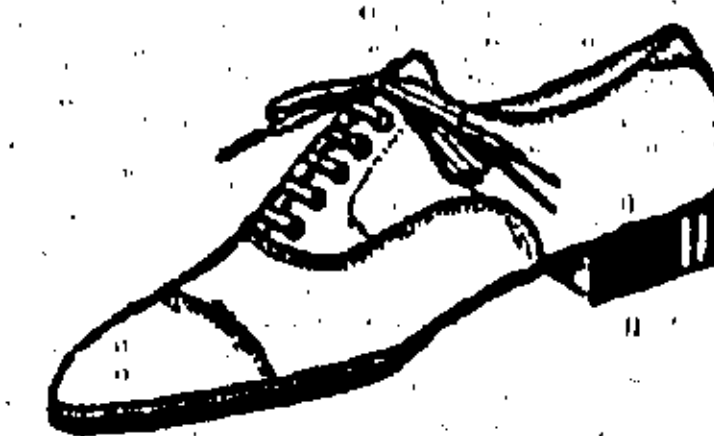
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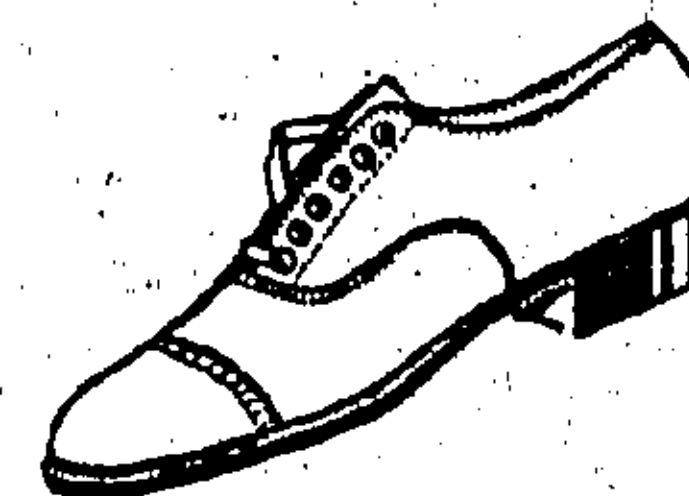


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J. M. H. OSBORNE,
Commissioner of Chinese Customs,
Kowloon and District.
York Building,
Hong Kong, 3rd Oct., 1929. [8455]

NOTICE.

THE MEMBERS of the COMPAGNIE ASSOCIATION will hold an "AT HOME" on the CHINESE NATIONAL DAY, the 10TH INSTANT, from 10 A.M. to 1 P.M., 2nd Floor, China Building. All Friends are Cordially Invited. [8454]

G. R.

NOTICE.

THE SANITARY BOARD wishes to draw the Attention of the Public, and especially of those who have recently come to this Colony, to the possibility of acquiring Dysentery, e.g., Dysentery and Typhoid Fever by eating of Uncooked Vegetables.

Chinese Market-gardeners use Manure from human sources and their custom is to pour the manure or spray it from watering-pots, in liquid form, over the growing plants.

Disease-producing Parasites are, therefore, possibly present on the Surface of Plants, e.g., Lettices, over which the Gardener's spray falls.

J. WATSON,
Secretary,
SANITARY BOARD.

October, 1929. [8453]

HONG KONG CRICKET CLUB.

NOTICE.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING will be held at the PAVILION on FRIDAY, the 11TH OCTOBER, 1929, at 5.30 P.M.

AND
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on FRIDAY, the 11TH OCTOBER, 1929, immediately after the holding of the GENERAL MEETING, A DRAWING for the REDEMPTION of DEBENTURES will be held.

The Numbers of the Debentures Drawn will be published in the Hong Kong Government Gazette and the Local Newspapers, and Holders of Drawn Debentures may, upon giving Notice to the Treasurers, waive the Six Months' Notice to which they are entitled, and apply on the 31st OCTOBER, 1929, to the Treasurers, Messrs. PERCY SMITH, SETH & FLEMING, for Payment of the Principal and Interest to the 31st OCTOBER, 1929.

By Order of the Committee,

L. S. GREENHILL,
Hon. Secretary.

Hong Kong, 2nd Oct., 1929. [8450]

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WEATHER REPORT.

Yesterday's weather report, forecast and remarks, issued by the Royal Observatory at 5.30 p.m., stated:-

The anticyclone remains stationary to the north-east of Hokkaido and pressure is relatively low to the east of the Vinas. Fresh monsoon will prevail along the south-east coast of China and over the N. China Sea.

Local Forecast:-N.E. winds, moderate, fine generally.

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CONGRESS AND PRESIDENT.

The fight going on at Washington over the Tariff Bill has taken on a new and most interesting aspect. Up to now the struggle has been of the usual character when questions of this nature are under discussion, but now the authority of the President is to be challenged. The Senate has approved a plan whereby the power now vested in the Chief Executive of changing Customs duties is to be given back to Congress. It is argued by advocates of this change that it is in accordance with Anglo-Saxon ideas of administration that authority to make changes in the tariff should rest with Congress, and not with the President. In regard to matters of executive authority, it is well-known that the President of the United States has much wider power than the ruling Sovereign in Great Britain, and the whole British system of administration is infinitely more democratic than that of the Great Republic. Reuter tells us that President Hoover is anxious to retain the power he has in regard to effective tariff changes, and the action of the Senate is likely to precipitate a vital trial of strength between the President and Congress. The development of this contest will be watched with great interest by many people outside the United States, for the issue is a very interesting one, involving as it does the democratisation of a system of government which is supposed to be intensely democratic but in some respects more autocratic than many monarchical administrations.

The regular session of Congress opens in December, and it was expected that the passage meanwhile of the Tariff Bill would leave the way clear for President Hoover to draft a Message to Congress of more than usual interest and significance. Constructive legislation of great importance was expected to be debated when Congress meets towards the year-end, particularly in regard to the problem of demarcation of authority between the Federal and State Governments. The tremendous economic strides of the United States during the past five years have laid many traditional policies open to serious challenge, and during the next two months it was expected that leading members of Congress would be crystallising their views on these various reforms in readiness for open debate. The chief concern of the House of Representatives, however, has been to prepare itself to frustrate any effort of the Senate to effect a radical modification of the Tariff Bill as passed by the Lower House by an overwhelming majority. Now comes a bold and unexpected challenge from the Senate which raises quite another, though not entirely new, issue, and it will be interesting to see how the House of Representatives reacts to this latest development in the struggle over the tariff. The power at present vested in the President affects the prestige of both Houses of Congress, and in submitting that Anglo-Saxon ideas of administration are opposed to any such overriding authority, the Senate has stated an argument which the Lower House will have some difficulty in refuting.

From the businessman's point of view the change proposed by the Senate will seem a very sensible one. Nothing is more disturbing to trade than uncertainty as to tariff changes, and there are other points now before Congress which are of considerable importance to merchants exporting goods to the United States. The proposal to amend the law so as to change from the foreign to the domestic value of imported merchandise, is another far-reaching change. It is claimed that goods imported from foreign countries are often invoiced at lower prices than those actually charged to the importer, and "dumping" operates to secure the admission into the United States of goods that otherwise would be excluded by the protective tariff. Efforts made under the existing Tariff Act to procure information from foreign manufacturers concerning their production costs have met with pronounced opposition, on the ground that American officials were obtaining trade secrets that might be used by competitors in the United States. In agreeing to substitute domestic prices for foreign valuations the Finance Committee recognised that the immediate effect of the proposed change would be a marked increase in the duties paid. As the increased protection would have the effect of raising domestic prices still higher, there would be set in motion an endless chain of increasing duties. To meet this objection it is provided that the United States Tariff Commission shall formulate and submit to Congress a schedule of reductions in duty that will correspond with the higher valuations. Importers claim that this procedure will throw business into a condition of uncertainty as to prices of foreign goods and will greatly hamper all dealers in imported articles, rendering it almost impossible to make long-term contracts relating to merchandise that must be ordered a year or more in advance of delivery.

Another matter of interest to merchants and shipping agents has been dealt with by the Senate Finance Committee, which continues without modification the existing provisions whereby foreign merchandise bound for a foreign country may be bonded for transportation through the United States without appraisal or payment of duties. This feature of the United States shipping trade is considered exceedingly important, but hitherto has attracted little attention due to the fact that goods imported and exported under this provision are not included in the general statistics of the international trade of the United States. Government experts are preparing a complete analysis of "shipping in transit and transportation," showing in detail, for the first time, the international origin and destination of the merchandise under this category. Customs statistics show that goods trans-shipped through the United States in 1928, not including goods imported for manufacture and subsequent re-export, reached a total value of \$429,743,000. The figures showed that goods valued at the same amount were exported last year. Over half of this trans-shipment trade is to and from Canada; the United States also received goods for trans-shipment from Europe valued at \$101,000,000. The United States shipped to Europe goods from other nations valued at \$108,000,000. A large share of this latter figure, according to Government statistics, covers Canadian grain shipments in transit. Trans-shipment trade of the United States with South American countries, figures for which were recently published for the first time, show that goods valued at \$15,911,000 were received in the United States last year, bound for foreign ports. To South American nations in 1928, the United States shipped goods valued at \$23,110,000. Statistics show that ports of the United States are serving in handling the trans-shipment of the greater part of the Canadian trade with nations of South America, also that South American exports consigned to Cuba, Mexico and Central America are shipped through the United States in great quantities.

News and Views.

One Chinese case of enteric was reported on Wednesday.

The forthcoming wedding is announced between Mr. William Ngartoo Thomas Tam, Barrister-at-law, residing at 11, Babinington Path, and Miss Jessie Pui Chun To, of B2, Dragon Terrace, Hong Kong.

N.Y.K. s.s. Mishima Maru arrived yesterday from Victoria, B.C., and Seattle, and Mrs. Nell Jenkin, wife of Mr. F. C. Jenkin, well-known Barrister-at-law, returned from Seattle accompanied by her 2 daughters, Miss M. Jenkin and Miss B. Jenkin.

The directors of the Hong Kong Chinese Young Men's Christian Association announce that the formal opening of their Kowloon Branch Building, Waterloo Road, by His Excellency the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern C.M.G., will take place on Thursday, October 10 at 4.30 p.m.

A lecture entitled "The Machinery of Warships" will be given by Engineer-Captain W. H. Mitchell on October 8 at 8.30 p.m. in Room "K" of the University. The lecture will be illustrated, and will be of a popular nature. It will be held under the auspices of the University Engineering Society, and visitors will be welcomed.

Trouble broke out in the Chen Tai Sik Filature, Chapei, when a number of female workers, dissatisfied over the fact that their wages had been deducted through the installation of a number of "silk metres" which showed how much silk they had reeled daily, destroyed these implements as well as a considerable amount of machinery. The Chapei police were called in and four ringleaders were arrested. The workers claim that they produced the same amount of silk as before and that the metres had been installed simply to cheat them of their just dues.

The special children's cinema performance which is to take place at the Queen's Theatre to-morrow morning at 10.30 a.m., in aid of the Ministering Children's League, is expected to prove most successful. A most attractive programme has been arranged, and children are assured of a delightful entertainment. The performance has been organised by the Victoria Branch of the M.C.C.L., and it is naturally hoped that a satisfactory sum will be raised from the sale of tickets which have been priced at 30 cents each. These may be obtained at Moutrie's or from the morning of the performance at the Queen's Theatre.

Students in Japanese universities and colleges are not required to punch a time-clock when going to their work every day, nor are there glowering proctors and monitors who see to it that each man is in his seat at a certain number of days during the year, says the *Japan Advertiser*. However, too frequent absences are frowned upon by both the educational and the police authorities. The officials of the Metropolitan Police Board recently conducted an investigation of some of the students who never seem to show up for work, and as a result arrested more than 100 young men who were spending their time in far less profitable ways than the pursuit of knowledge. The young gentlemen got off with a good talking to, and were sent back to their books.

"This is the first occasion on which a British gunboat has proceeded right up to the British Bund since the silting up of the Huiho took place," says the *North China Daily Mail* of September 21. H.M.S. *Petersfield* was the centre of attraction this morning, both from the few foreigners who had assembled on the bund, as well as the Chinese. Even the Chinese constable who was detailed to keep a certain part of the bund clear of any coolies or carts in the vicinity of the gunboat, seemed quite proud of his occupation, as any coolie who tried to dodge past the stern and dignified guardian of the law was admonished in voluble language which is a feature of Chinese constables in general, as a result of which the other coolies with their carts simply stood and gazed at him with awe, until they were promptly told to move on.

The "Mui Tsai" Question in Canton.

The Bureau of Social Welfare in Canton is taking steps to restrict the keeping of mui tsai. A notification has been issued prohibiting the buying or sale of mui tsai and the Bureau hopes that the whole system will be ended before long. Whether or no this is likely to happen is a different matter. Governments in Canton come and go with bewildering rapidity, and not every edict can be enforced in practice.

Mr. J. W. Lee, the Hon. Football Secretary of the Chinese Athletic Association is giving a dinner party at West Point on Saturday to all Chinese Football Reporters. The dinner party will be held at Man Kwok Restaurant, Ah Chow room (1st floor).

The Greater Shanghai Public Safety Commissioner has notified the public that they must inform the police whenever they move their places of abode. Those ignoring the order after October 1 will be punished.

A man named Miguel Martinez recently accepted an invitation to referee a duel between two of his friends in Mexico City. The duellists fired at 20 paces and both bullets pierced the referee's chest. Martinez died, and the duellists fled.

The Marqués de Estella, in a statement in San Sebastian recently said that the censorship of the Press during the debates on the proposed new Constitution would be continued both in the Assembly and outside it, though perhaps less strictly than formerly. The Prime Minister said: "As long as the Dictatorship lasts a censorship will be imposed."

Owing to the fact that British subjects own some £20,000,000 worth of property in Shanghai and that there are over 30,000 Japanese residents in that port, the British and Japanese Ministers have agreed to maintain a similar attitude towards the question of the rendition of the Shanghai Provisional Court. Likewise, they will remain firm so far as the Court's reorganization is concerned.

A letter from Mr. Norman Macgregor, writing from Victoria, B.C., on September 4, shows that the last operation he had to undergo was of a very severe nature. The bright side is that he must have got up his strength a great deal since leaving China, to undergo it so well and he appears now to be making good progress. Mr. Macgregor was expecting to leave Quebec by the Empress of Australia for England on September 24.

Mr. S. Saburi, the new Japanese Minister, will arrive in Shanghai on October 4. After remaining here for three days he will go to Nanking, accompanied by Mr. M. Shigemitsu, the local Consul-General, and Mr. S. Ueyemura, Consul in Nanking, to present his credentials to General Chiang Kai Shek. Then he will go to Peking for several weeks and return to Nanking about the middle of November to resume negotiations with Dr. C. T. Wang concerning the Sino-Japanese Treaty.

Some time ago a traveller who had seen more countries than Ulysses remarked that England was the only place where drivers understood that sounding the horn does nothing to help the opening up of a traffic block. The *Japan Chronicle* says Japan must be at the other end of the scale, because there the driver who has to stop while the traffic clears in front of him, hoots all the time, and, when it begins to move, goes on hooting. Our contemporary cannot be so acquainted with motorists in Shanghai, both Chinese and some foreigners. For sheer stupid purposeless noise-making we would back them against the world.

Residents of the United States are now insured for over \$100,000,000,000, according to a survey announced recently by the Association of Life Insurance Presidents. Policies are distributed among 65,000,000 holders. The survey was made from the reports of 44 companies representing 85 per cent. of the legal reserve insurance business transacted in the country. These reports showed that the total reserve of these companies on July 31 totalled \$85,203,895,000, an increase of 5.2 per cent. since December 1928. Allowing for a similar increase by companies not reporting for the seven months, representing the other 15 per cent. of the business, the total on July 31 amounted to over \$100,122,065,000.

Great Britain in 1928 had the lowest infant death-rate ever recorded. Out of every 1,000 children who lived to be one year old, 65 died. The nation's birth-rate for the same period with one exception was the lowest on record, while the death-rate, except for two years, was the lowest on record. Great Britain's birth-rate for 1928 was 16.7 per 1,000, while the death-rate was 11.7 per 1,000. The greatest number of deaths, the report of the Registrar-General points out, were children under four years of age; the second greatest group being persons between 70 and 74. The death-rate from cancer increased slightly to 1,423 to each million living. The rate of suicides decreased, while the number of deaths due to motor accidents increased. The rate of death of women from diseases of motherhood was the highest in eighteen years.

The *Rangoon Times* reports the recent find in Mogok of two magnificent stones, one a sapphire of 1,000 carats and the other a ruby of 98 carats. The ruby, the price of which has not yet been quoted, has a flaw in the middle, but when cut will yield two splendid stones. A piece of the ruby of 42 carats, found in 1919, was sold uncut for Rs. 5 lakhs at the mines. The sapphire has been sealed for jewel merchants, who have already started from America. The ruby was found in a private Burmese mine.

Sentence of six months' imprisonment with hard labour was passed by Mr. Graham Campbell, at Bow-street Police Court, recently on Charles Mack, 29, painter, for breaking into the premises of Levy and Franks, limited, caterers, Gordon-square, Bloomsbury, and stealing 12,000 cigarettes, 600 cigars, and other property worth in all £180. He pleaded guilty. It was stated that the premises were broken into about 13 months ago, and the only clue obtained by the police was a small piece of candle bearing the impression of one finger. Recently Mack was arrested as a suspected person, and it was then found that his finger prints corresponded with the impression on the candle.

The Tsar's Letters Found.

A box containing a number of letters written by the late Tsar Nicholas II, the Tsarina Alexandra, Feodorovna and their daughters has been discovered in the Pushkin House of the Academy of Sciences at Leningrad. The letters were written during the Tsar's stay in Tsarskoye Selo (Tsar's Village, now renamed Children's Village) after the March Revolution of 1917 and cover the period ending with his exile to Tobolsk. It appears from these letters that after the first Revolution the Tsar intended to go to England and worked out different plans of accomplishing this aim. The letters also throw light on certain hitherto unknown aspects of the Romanovs' sojourn in Tsarskoye Selo after the Revolution and are of considerable historical interest, in the opinion of specialists. It appears that these letters were delivered to the Pushkin House for safe-keeping by representatives of Benkudorf, the Marshall of the Court, with the request to open up the box only upon orders of some member of the Tsar's family or not before 1910. The box with the letters has been turned over to the Central Archives in Moscow.

Looking Back 25 Years.

The game of poker has been acquiring extraordinary popularity at Hong Kong, and we have repeatedly heard of high play among young men who cannot be said to claim similar intimacy with high play. The other day, at a sitting of the Supreme Court, there was heard a case directly arising from that seductive and mind-obsessive game of cards. We would like to think that the statement of the mess. Ulysses to which it apparently put the defendant would give pause to the number of young men who are even now being led into a ruinous pastime for the pursuit of which are needed more money and more strength of mind than many of them possess. The amounts mentioned in the case show that the stakes played for were much too high for young men of their financial means. Although the judge was obliged to give the verdict on the evidence, there being an acknowledgment that there was "value received," the debt would obviously not have been contracted except at the card-table. When such documents become necessary, poker is no longer an exciting pastime; it becomes a business, and a shady one at that. The young man about to "learn" poker should therefore cast out his mental view of potential winnings, and set himself to realise what he "stands to lose." It appears that, even in Hong Kong, it is possible to lose more than money. *Verb. sup.—Hong Kong Daily Press, October 4, 1904.*

Looking Back 50 Years.

The Chinese Authorities have struck out a new departure. Not only is emigration—by ancient law proscribed—to be sanctioned by treaty, but it is in the future to be conducted under the Dragon Flag. The China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company's steamer *Hochung* is to load with Chinese coolies at Canton for Honolulu. Of course the grand idea is to open up a new field of enterprise for the China Merchants' Company, that pet monopoly of the Chinese Government. No one can blame them, however, for seeking to obtain a share in this most legitimate trade. The Chinese in Hawaii are flourishing and prosperous, and the emigration thither has uniformly been voluntary and *bona fide*. The Chinese Government certainly would not allow the native steamer company to engage did it feel any doubt on the subject, and the despatch of the *Hochung* will be regarded, we should imagine, even by the Colonial Office, as a signal refutation of the silly and unfounded representations made to Tung Wah Hospital Committee by His Excellency the Governor, and as a proof of his folly in listening to them.—*Hong Kong Daily Press, October 4, 1879.*

DEATH OF DR. GUSTAV STRESEMANN.

THE BISMARCK OF POST-WAR GERMANY.

TRAGIC COLLAPSE FROM OVER-WORK.

A GREAT LEADER LOST.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERLIN, Oct. 3. Dr. Gustav Stresemann died at 5.25 this morning in his home, as a result of heart failure following a paralytic stroke.

Germany in Mourning.

The country throughout Germany is staggered as a result of the death of the indefatigable Foreign Minister, whose will power triumphed over physical infirmities.

For six years he was continually in the hands of doctors, whose repeated counsel to retire to rest he ignored, in the conviction that his indomitable will would restore his country's shattered fortunes.

Dr. Stresemann was busy all day long yesterday, dealing with workmen's insurance, upon which a Government crisis appeared most likely. He had a stroke at 10.15 p.m., which probably induced excessive fatigue, with which his right side was paralyzed.

Doctors wrestled with impending death all night long.

Indubitably, the great statesman was the victim of duty. He contemptuously disregarded numerous fanatical nationalist threats of personal violence, and pursued his prodigious labour at home and abroad, which was crowned with securing the evacuation of all the foreign troops.

World-wide Tributes.

LONDON, Later.

World-wide tributes to Dr. Stresemann, include the French Press, which deplores his death as a grave loss, not merely for Germany and Europe, but for France.

A Berlin report states that in the Reichstag Dr. Stresemann's seat was draped with a black wreath. All the Cabinet members and deputies present, except the Communists and extreme Nationalists, rose when vice-President Esser and Chancellor Mueller paid tribute to the deceased statesman. Vice-President Esser said that his work as Foreign Minister should be written in letters of gold in the history of his country.

LATER.

The likeliest successor to Dr. Stresemann, whose post as Chancellor Herr Mueller has temporarily taken over, is the Socialist, Herr Breitscheid.

Among the many figures in German politics upon whom international attention has been fixed at various times, one personality stands out in bold relief. It is that of Dr. Gustav Stresemann, whose five years of unintermitted rule at the Foreign Office, Germany, defeated to the verge of annihilation in the greatest war the world has ever seen, has made a recovery unexampled in history for its rapidity and completeness.

Dr. Stresemann was only fifty years old, but he has left an indelible mark in the annals of his country. He was the Bismarck of post-war Germany. But where Bismarck was careless of treading on the toes of those who stood in his way, Dr. Stresemann learned the lesson of the war and did his best to step over them.

The news of his death will be received with sincere regret by the many members of the present and last British Government who came into contact with him at various conferences.

Early Days.

The son of a beer merchant in the east-end of Berlin, he rapidly grew out of the atmosphere of the petty bourgeoisie by dint of his natural curiosity, his ambition, and his gifts. His father, at great sacrifice, sent him to the universities of Berlin and Leipzig for five years to study economics. Young Stresemann's professor tried to tempt him with his humble origin by suggesting that he should write

his Doctor's dissertation on the "Economic Problems of Berlin's Beer-Bottling Industry." Stresemann, without showing the slightest sign of annoyance, calmly accepted the professor's challenge, and proceeded to turn out the most brilliant thesis of his year.

When he was secretary of the board of directors of the Saxon Industrialists, he was more concerned with the condition of the labourers than is usual in the position which he held, but less so that with the condition of the capitalists whom he served.

Stresemann, who at 28 fought in the Lower Chamber of the Saxon Parliament for the representation therein of big business, and who had been devoting his life to the expansion of German industry, found himself naturally drawn, in the Kaiser's Germany, to the political advocates of expansion. At 30 he was one of the National Liberal members of the Reichstag, and he had to be at least as strongly National as he was Liberal. In 1912 he made a study of American industry, and in a speech in Toronto, widely circulated by the Association of Canadian Manufacturers, he warned against a German-American war. At the same time he made the acquaintance of Woodrow Wilson, who impressed him profoundly. By 1914 he wanted to start with Albert Ballin, of the Hamburg-American Steamship Company, a German company for world trade—all of which showed that he was in truth an imperialist, but that he did not desire war as a means to economic power.

The War and After.

With the outbreak of the war, however, Stresemann's ideals changed. One cannot quarrel with him greatly because he assumed that the war had been plotted by England out of commercial jealousy, for that was a universal German formula at that time, and in his circles it became a sort of auto-suggestion. It is also in his favour that he did not on November 9, 1918, like so many of his associates, at once swear fealty to the new flag, but, on the contrary, warned against the dethronement of the Kaiser. Then he wavered, perforce, for a few months between the new and the old; he voted in the Weimar Parliament against the signing of the peace of Versailles, and spoke of the disgraceful days of the Revolution. At the same time he placed himself squarely upon "the platform of facts"—it is a wonder that this platform did not collapse with all the people who hastened to take their stand upon it! He even cautiously attempted to mediate at the time of the Monarchist coup of Kapp and Ludendorff in March 1920, and he denounced the general strike, although that was the only way to defeat those ill-prepared conspirators.

And then the irony of history called upon him to complete what he had damned for so many years. When Wirth and Rathenau, facing an outburst of anger from the nation, first recognised that Germany must begin to carry out the demands of her former enemies in order to convince them that complete fulfilment was impossible, then the great moral counter-offensive began which shattered the prejudices of the world against Germany (and was as clever as it was pathetic). Stresemann was in the front rank of those who fought against it, but he never did this with the comfortable rhetorical methods of the German Nationalists. He did not wish war, but negotiations, and he desired to carry out the duties imposed by the peace, not as duties, but only for compensation. He opposed unconditional fulfilment. For that reason he also supported Chancellor Cuno's fight in the Reichstag and pleaded for passive resistance against the active invasion of the French. Meanwhile, through his founding and leadership of the new German People's Party, he had gained so much influence that the decision as to this policy in the Ruhr could not rapidly be made, or at least not so rapidly without his approval.

The Chancellorship.

When, however, in the fall of 1923 he took over the Government as Imperial Chancellor, it was Stresemann's first duty to abandon Cuno's fight in the Ruhr, and his second to carry on Rathenau's fulfilment policy. He used other methods, and it appears that his means were the more fitting. Above all, however, it was time—three years having passed—which justified the policy of fulfilment. In the hundred days of his Chancellorship he prevented a threatened civil war by stabilising the mark, and by this step made it possible that America, which meanwhile had become more neutral-minded than the countries most immediately concerned, should take up the problem of Germany's annual reparations. The Dawes Plan became

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SCENE AT SOVIET EMBASSY.

COUNSELLOR CLIMBS OVER THE WALL.

RUDE HINT FROM MOSCOW.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PARIS, October 3.

The Soviet Embassy was a scene of excitement this morning, when the first counsellor, M. Bessedowski, clambered up the rear wall, then dashed to the Prefecture of police and implored the officials to secure the release of his wife and son, who, he said, were imprisoned in the Embassy.

M. Bessedowski declared that the Moscow *Cheka* had despatched an official to interrogate him on his recent change of political views. He said that he declined the envoy's demand to return to Russia in answer to a charge of heresy, and requested to be allowed to depart with his family.

The Soviet envoy then produced a revolver and prevented his departure. M. Bessedowski escaped through the back premises, and brought back the Director of the Judicial Police, who secured the liberation of his wife and son.

possible only when German currency—which had entirely lost its value during the passive resistance in the Ruhr—had again been established. All of this could be achieved only by recognising the treaty and repeating: "We shall pay." Because of those words Rathenau had been murdered; Rathenau's opponent, Stresemann, spoke the latter and with much greater success.

At this later time, too, the policy was neither easy nor without danger. "Whoever opposes the Dawes Plan mobilises one of the greatest World Powers against himself," said Stresemann, and when, in the Reichstag, a Nationalist cried out at him that he was making a splendid defence for the enemy, Stresemann, the composed and elegant debater, lost patience and judgment and shouted: "I am famous at his interrupter." For the first time in seventeen years in the Reichstag he found himself called to order—an event of which he could be proud. But for a long time after that he was guarded by police whenever he went out.

European Politics.

When Stresemann had answered France's first threatening demand for reparations his response to her next demand for security, was almost fore-ordained. It had been recognised earlier that only a solvent Germany could pay, and that the economic interests of all the states concerned were interwoven. Now people began to understand that the States bordering on the Rhine were even politically much too closely associated to be able to live there peacefully without a definite agreement.

Here begins Stresemann's personal and historic service to Germany. Up to that time he had made clever moves which were instinctive. Now he began to force himself, for the sake of the Fatherland, to play European politics. It was no pacifist and no philosopher who went forth to negotiate the Rhine pact; on the contrary, he was attacked by the pacifists, who at first could not follow his thoughts and were justified in questioning his motives. In the spring of 1925 he began to play for the future of Europe with a most clever Note to France, a Note supported, perhaps even instigated, by Lord d'Abernon, the British Ambassador in Berlin, and at Locarno he achieved far more than a mere treaty. "No country has been taken advantage of in Locarno, and none has triumphed," said Sir Austen Chamberlain. The leaders of the four nations met and came to know one another not merely as equals but as friends.

But the new Germany was so ill prepared for all this that Stresemann and his suite had to leave for Locarno from a railway station which was barred to the public, and at an unexpected hour. On his return he read in a Nationalist paper that he was worse than a highway murderer. Stresemann accustomed the Germans to sit in the League of Nations, a step for which a few outsiders, despite the scorn of their own countrymen, had been fighting since the beginning of 1918, a step which Rathenau had recommended in 1921. Only now, as a result of this fortunate chain of events, Stresemann became European.

But it is merely interesting, and not very important, whether what is right is done because of an inner vision, or whether understanding follows after the event. The important thing is that the right thing be done, and that was Stresemann's great service to Europe.

BRITAIN'S POLICY ON FINANCE.

REASONS FOR RAISING BANK RATE.

EXPLANATION BY MR. SNOWDEN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Oct. 3.

Mr. Snowden, addressing the Labour Conference at Brighton, defended the Bank of England's increase of the Bank Rate, as the only means available to restore the unfavourable exchanges, and regulate the basis of credit.

He announced that he was establishing a committee to enquire into relations of industry and finance wide with terms of reference. The committee would be able to investigate all the aspects of banking, finance and credit policies.

Mr. Snowden emphasised that the Treasury was not responsible for the rise in the Bank Rate, which rested with the Bank of England.

Referring to the gold standard, he said that everyone admitted that now the gold standard was universally established, it must be maintained. "Until man's wisdom devised some better substitute for it."

Reviewing world financial conditions he alluded to the "perfect orgy of speculation in New York" in the past year, where call money was as high as 12 per cent., and attracted money from Britain, while Germany, practically rebuilt in the past decade, absorbed foreign money at a high interest.

Mr. Snowden hoped that the International Bank under the Young Plan would be able to devise international co-operation for the purpose of economising the use of gold.

Meantime, he said, we must see if something can be done within our own control. He added that the establishment of a Committee of Enquiry did not imply a reflection upon British financial institutions, which were pre-eminent throughout the world for their soundness and probity.

Alluding to the Hatty case the Chancellor foreshadowed an amendment strengthening company law, in the light of investigations by the Board of Trade and the Treasury.

FUNERAL OF BARON TANAKA.

SOLEMN REQUIEM.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Tokyo, Oct. 3.

Impressive scenes marked the funeral of Baron Tanaka, several thousand people, including Admiral Togo and many leading statesmen, officials, and politicians attending. The Emperor, the Empress, and the Dowager Empress, each sent a personal representative, and a detachment of troops were present as a guard of honour.

The Commander-in-Chief of the British China Squadron, aboard H.M.S. Kent, arrived at Yokohama this morning. H.M.S. Hermes is due to-morrow. The Emperor will give an audience to the Admiral and his staff to-morrow at the Palace.

POLITICS IN EGYPT.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

CAIRO, Oct. 3.

The ex-Premier, Adly Pasha, who is politically neutral, is forming a Coalition Cabinet.

EXTENSION OF FAMINE AID.

CENTRAL GOVERNMENT BLAMED.

WASHINGTON, Sep. 27.

A report adverse to extension of American aid for China famine conditions was approved and adopted by the Central Committee of the Red Cross here to-day.

Ernest Bickert, chairman of the Red Cross Commission to China, declared that foreign aid in famine regions is not warranted because conditions there are chiefly due to the absence of a strong central government and to the consequent exactions of warlords, depredations of bandits and confiscatory taxation.

"I am convinced," said Mr. Bickert, "that continual suffering will constantly recur until we see a strong and stable central government come into being."

FLEXIBLE TARIFF IN U.S.A.

A NEW PLAN TO BE ADOPTED.

BILL BEFORE SENATE.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

WASHINGTON, Oct. 2.

After a long debate, the Senate has adopted the flexible tariff plan. The new plan fixes tariffs at certain rates but allows of alteration at any time at the instance of the Tariff Commission.

The most important feature of the Bill approved by the Senate, however, is that it restores to Congress the power now vested in the President to change the duties after the necessary investigation by the Tariff Commission.

It is regarded as certain that the action of the Senate in passing the Bill in that form will precipitate a vital trial of strength between the President and the Legislature, as it is stated that President Hoover is anxious to retain the powers for the Executive.

The majority of the Democrats and a group of Independent Republicans feel that the powers, in accordance with Anglo-Saxon law, should be vested in Congress.

HONG KONG GOVERNOR IN MANILA.

LEAVES FOR BAGUIO.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

MANILA, Oct. 3.

His Excellency the Governor of Hong Kong, Sir Cecil Clementi, K.C.M.G., arrived in Manila aboard the Empress of Russia this morning.

A special Guard of Honour met the distinguished visitor and escorted him to Malacanang Palace, the residence of the Governor-General, Mr. Dwight L. Davis.

His Excellency and Lady Clementi are remaining in Manila until Monday when they will leave for Baguio, where they will be the guests of the Governor-General at Mansion House, his summer residence.

SUGAR COMPANY'S DEBTS.

IN THE HANDS OF THE RECEIVER.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

New York, Oct. 2.

The Cuba Sugar Cane Corporation, the largest producers of raw sugar in Cuba, with assets totalling over \$110,000,000, went into the hands of an equity receiver here yesterday.

The Corporation's President, Colonel John R. Simpson, was appointed the receiver.

THE PREMIER'S TRIP.

SOME AMUSING INTERLUDES.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Oct. 2.

Reuter's correspondent aboard the liner Berengaria, by which Mr. Ramsay MacDonald is travelling to America, states that as the voyage is ending, wireless messages from ships and from both continents are pouring in, most of these containing good wishes for the success of the Premier's mission.

Mr. Ramsay MacDonald is most gratified at receiving these messages.

An amusing contrast is provided by a brief message asking Mr. MacDonald's terms for a first and exclusive appearance in front of a broadcasting microphone.

AMERICAN AMBASSADOR RESIGNS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

MADRID, Oct. 2.

The American Ambassador, Mr. Ogden H. Hammond, has resigned.

THE PRINCESS ROYAL.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Oct. 2.

A bulletin issued to-day states that the condition of the Princess Royal has improved.

TROUBLE ON THE FRONTIER.

BAYONET FIGHTING AT MANCHULI.

A GRIM STRUGGLE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

MUKDEN, Oct. 3.

An official communiqué states that a violent Russian attack was made on the Chinese position at Manchuli on October 9.

Part of the Chinese trenches were taken and re-taken with the bayonet. The casualties were 300 Russians and 80 Chinese.

The Ironsides.

HANKOW, Oct. 3.

Despite continuous claims, by the Chiang Kai Shek school, of victories against General Chang Fat Fui, it seems that the Ironsides still hold Changteh and Shenchow, and the country between.

It also seems that General Ho Chien is too busy "suppressing bandits" to attend to the suppression of the Ironsides.

Meanwhile, it is again reported that considerable bodies of the Kuomintang armies are moving towards the border of North Hupeh, under the pretext that famine conditions in Honan and Shensi are driving them south.

NEW CHAIRMAN IN KWANGSI.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NANKING, Oct. 3.

The Central Political Council to-day decided to dismiss Yu Tao Peh, the Chairman of the Kwangsi Provincial Government and appointed General Lu Yuan Yen in his stead.

CAPT. BARRETT LEAVES SHANGHAI.

NEW SUCCESSOR IN THE POLICE.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, Oct. 3.

The Council has accepted the resignation of Capt. E. I. M. Barrett, the Commissioner of Police, who is now in England, and has appointed Major F. W. Gerard, from India, to succeed him.

JAPAN'S MINISTER TO CANADA.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Tokyo, Oct. 3.

Mr. Iyemasa Tokugawa, Japan's first minister to Canada, sailed for Vancouver this afternoon.

BRAVE TYPIST REWARDED.

Miss Irene Bell, a fifteen-year-old typist, of Janson-road, Stratford, was presented by Mr. Clarke Hall, the magistrate at Old-street Police Court, with a silver wristlet watch in recognition of her bravery in saving two women from a fire in Wilson-street, Finsbury.

The award was made by the Society for the Protection of Life from Fire.

LABOUR TROUBLE IN AMERICA.

PICKETS AND WORKERS CLASH.

BITTER FEELING.

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

MARION, Oct. 2.

The bitter feeling between the Communist Labour organisers and the anti-Communists in the North Carolina textile area, where a long dispute has dragged on and off, for weeks, which has already resulted in several minor incidents, came to a head to-day when a serious riot occurred outside the Marion Manufacturing Company's cotton mill.

It would appear that strike pickets were attacked by anti-Communist workers and that a fierce fight took place in the street. Two of the strikers were killed and nineteen were injured, five of them so seriously that they are not expected to live.

The militia was called out to prevent further disorders.

The riot followed a new strike on the grounds that the mill-owners were not keeping their agreements. The strike pickets conflicted with the workers, and shots were fired.

Two members of the United Textile Workers' Union were shot dead on the spot. The Sheriff and three Deputy-Sheriffs were severely mauled and sent to hospital.

GOAT MILK AND TRAFFIC.

COMEDY OF A FRENCH LAW.

[United Press.]

Paris.—"But what has goat's milk to do with the Paris traffic?" was asked of M. Chiappe, Prefect of Police here, when he formulated new traffic laws, recently. Nor was the question so silly as it seems, M. Chiappe had announced his intention of putting an end to the present system of selling goat's milk by itinerant vendors and everyone wanted to know why and wherefore until they thought again.

Like a modern Pan, the goat herdsman makes a pilgrimage from the Basque country in the south to Paris, bringing with him his flock, vending fresh goat's milk and cheese from door to door. Like Pan, too, he has his flute which he plays while he drives his flock before him through the busy streets.

Picturesque Sight.

Every summer these goat herds are picturesque sights in Paris but they have become an anachronism, since goats and motor-cars don't usually go together in safety. Moving slowly along the crowded streets, guided by faithful shepherds, the goats latterly have proved more of a nuisance to road traffic than they are an advantage to housewives.

Edict of exile for the shy-faced goats has therefore been ordered by the "hard-hearted" Police Prefect and thus another Paris custom will pass.

There are about six herds of goats which daily make the rounds of the streets. They will all come under the ban. There is also a herd of cows which are likewise led from doorstep to doorstep each morning providing fresh milk, mainly for invalids.

Since there are many protests because the cows will also come under the expulsion order, M. Chiappe may show some leniency and tourists of the future may be privileged to admire the picturesque-ness of the itinerant cow-herds amidst the rush and roar of a great city like Paris.



Sports News

SHANGHAI DEFEAT C.S.C.C.

VISITORS IN VERY GOOD FORM.

INTERPORT AMBITIONS.

Shanghai lawn bowlers gained their second victory in their official series when they played the Civil Service C.C. team yesterday. The home team opened with a two and were able to check the advance of the visitors by making the score 6-3 in the fourth end. Thereafter the Shanghai team piled on the shots, which included a four and two fives, and their highest lead was 17 shots. The home team then took eight shots on three successive heads and were beaten by 11 shots.

The first fourteen ends saw the Shanghai players putting in very good work which left their skip little to do. In this end Civil Service were lying about four when Jessiman drew close up to the jack and was able to claim the shot on a measure.

Civil Service Warm Up.

It was in the fifteenth end that Civil Service had the best show before the ships went over. They were then lying three and Deakin put in another. Jessiman tried a draw and next attempted to push up one of the front woods without success.

The addition of four shots encouraged the home team to help themselves to another three, Taylor putting in the first. Alderman the next for shot, and the skip drawing for third. They were then ten shots behind.

Phillips put a touch for shot in the seventeenth, and Archibald also glanced past the jack without making any change. In attempting a draw Shanghai's No. 2 moved up an opposition wood. Jessiman broke up the woods on a drive and also took the jack away, but Civil Service were able to add another.

Civil Service had the shot in the eighteenth end a foot away, but Dorrance drew in between. Jessiman narrowly missed cutting out the second wood and claimed the single. Another single came when Malcolm laid two beauties and Deakin saved one.

Last Two Heads Squared.

The twentieth end gave Shanghai one more. Phillips drew dead on the jack, Malcolm put in another, and Archibald caused a separation by moving the jack away to the right, still giving Shanghai two. Dorrance put in two more counters. Jessiman placed a blocker on the still open back-hand. Deakin, however, came heavy to lumpy up a wood and gave three. In the last end Archibald sent good one for touch and shot, putting the other close behind. Malcolm drew second shot, and Dorrance moved out Archibald's back wood to count another second. There was no change in the end and the home team claimed the shot.

Detailed Scores.

Shanghai	C.S.C.C.
Phillips No. 1	Taylor
Malcolm No. 2	Archibald
Dorrance No. 3	Alderman
Jessiman Skip	Deakin
1. —	2. 2
2. 3	3. 2
3. 2	4. 5
4. —	5. 3
5. 4	6. —
6. 3	7. 12
7. 5	8. 17
8. —	9. 3
9. 17	10. 2
10. 2	11. 19
11. —	12. 5
12. 24	13. 1
13. 1	14. 23
14. 96	15. —
15. —	16. 4
16. —	17. 3
17. —	18. 1
18. 1	19. 27
19. 1	20. 17
20. 1	21. 29
21. —	22. 13

Acting Governor's Congratulations.

His Excellency the Officer Administering the Government (the Hon. Mr. W. T. Southern, C.M.G.), who was accompanied by his A.D.C., Capt. F. Perfect, K.O.S.B., was an interested spectator of the game. Presenting silver spoons on behalf of the Civil Service C.C. to the visiting players, His Excellency congratulated Mr. Malcolm and his team on their play.

In turn Mr. Malcolm presented Mr. Deakin's team with Shanghai souvenirs. He said that he was much impressed by the large number of spectators present to witness the match. This was a sign that the community took a growing interest in lawn bowls, which was all to the good of the game. He added that the Shanghai team had come down to show the community what they could do and everything possible would be done to win the Interport on Saturday.

The C.S.C.C. grounds were decorated with coloured lights for the "smoker" which followed. Well-known local talent helped in making the event a success.

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Lawn Bowls.

SHANGHAI'S PROBABLES IN THE INTERPORT.

TO-MORROW'S MATCH.

[By "BACK WOOD."] Prior to the Craigengower-Kowloon Dock match which was to decide the senior Division championship of the lawn bowls League, I heard a prominent player of the former team remark "we don't want the flag; we have one already." However much certain people may not desire increases either in flags or salaries, the emblem went to Craigengower by what may be termed an accident. Even the most optimistic player of the side had a feeling that they were going to be beaten, and they would have lost had not Skip Omar's No. 3, Arculli, done all the juggling possible with lawn bowls woods to establish a lead which allowed them to carry the defaulting rink. Skip Bann's rink, which helped with the other single in the two-shot victory, was opposed to the rink of the bowlers on the Kowloon Dock side, and their feat in holding down such a strong combination was no less creditable.

In knocking out the Bowling Green Club in the junior championship replay, Taikeo added another to their sequence of three conquests. Here again one rink turned the tide in their favour. League matches will end to-morrow with the meeting of Taikeo and Civil Service on Kowloon Dock R.C. greens, the winner securing the honours. Whether Taikeo or Civil Service will be successful can only be a matter of surmise and I would not hazard a guess. They have beaten the other once in their home meetings, and on this occasion they are playing on a ground about which very few of the junior section players know anything.

A matter which is even more important than the League is who will win the Interport match to-morrow. The Shanghai visitors had nothing but praise for the playing qualities of Craigengower ground on which they defeated not the strongest aggregate but a quartette of players who happened to be in extremely good form. Skip Phillips scored maximum marks on all his drives, but it was obvious what would have happened had one of them gone astray. His play had the effect of changing the bad patches into a first class game. Phillips was not a success in the No. 2 position against Kowloon C.C., and it is doubtful if he will be in the proper place if he is put there in the big match to-morrow. At the close of the match with Craigengower team, Mr. Malcolm announced that he would skip the team, as apparently Mr. Dorrance who would have been asked to act as skip preferred not to shoulder the responsibilities. I have it from a reliable source that the probabilities are Jessiman (No. 1), Phillips (No. 2), Dorrance (No. 3) with, of course, Malcolm as skip. It is possible that the second and third position players may be interchanged. The sporting spirit animating the visitors is apparent from what Skip Phillips told a large gathering of the other evening. He said "the Shanghai players are going to do their best to win, but if we lose, we would still return to Shanghai as if we had won." The Shanghai Captain also indicated his determination in that direction, and he was thankful to Craigengower for the excellent practice game which has filled them with confidence.

The Interport match is timed to commence at 3.30 p.m. to-morrow on the Kowloon C.C. ground, and doubtless there will be a big gathering among whom will be many supporters of the Shanghai team. Weather prospects seem bright, and other indications point to an interesting match. The teams (subject to my information and remarks above as far as the visitors are concerned) will be:

Shanghai. No. 1 Taylor, No. 2 Archibald, No. 3 Alderman, Skip Deakin.

Hong Kong. No. 1 Laing, No. 2 Bass, No. 3 Grimmit, Skip Ferguson.

The Interport Dinner at the Peninsula Hotel the same day is timed for 8.15 p.m.

This Afternoon's Match.

The Shanghai team will play their official match with the Police Recreation Club to-day, commencing at 3.30 p.m. Home selections are Nolan (No. 1), West (No. 2), Hargreaves (No. 3), and Mair (Skip). A good game is anticipated, as the combination is a strong one.

At 8 p.m., the Shanghai players will be the guests of the Club at dinner in the new extension. Elaborate arrangements have been made to give the visitors a good time. A concert is also included in the programme.

Baseball Notes.

KIAORAS' EXTEND LEADERS.

THIS WEEK-END'S GAMES.

[By "CENTRE FIELD."] Last week-end saw South China mounting yet another rung up the league table, though they had to bring out all they knew about the game to accomplish the feat. In my notes last week I predicted a very close game, but I must admit I hardly expected the Kiaoras to run away as they did. Facing a deficit of three runs did not look too bright for the league leaders, but a little wild pitching by Leo in the sixth (he did good work up till then) coupled with a few errors helped South China out of a none too rosy situation.

Ed Chang had a day off, for he sent eight balls over in rapid succession with the result that M. Chang took over the job and placed "Ed" behind the batter instead. The game was full of thrills and excitement, and I must say that some of the decisions—particularly those by the base "ump"—looked pretty "close calls" to me. Still

On Sunday the game scheduled between the Japanese and the Baseball Club did not come off, for although the whole of the Japanese team were on the ground, only Russakoff, Howard, Decker, and Whitehead of the H.K.B.C. turned out. The game was therefore forfeited to the Japanese, though a "friendly" was played after. It was a very enjoyable affair, too, and four sailors from the Mindanao and C. K. Leung of the Kiaoras turned out for the Ball Club.

To-morrow the South China and the Baseball Club meet for the second time. At the first meeting the former won 11-2, and although they should win again to-morrow—though perhaps not by the same margin—the Ball Club fellows have an idea that they will spring a surprise. If Russakoff is going to pitch against the Chinese lads will not have too easy a time, but here the question arises again as to whether "Ruff" will have any support from his fielders. Burrell is due back somewhere around this week-end, and if he does turn up, it will strengthen the Club's batting a lot. I should like to see "Chuck" Shank behind the plate, though, and when he is in the mood, he can also sock some.

When the Filipinos cross bats with the Kiaoras on Sunday, they will do their best to have their own back on this bunch of "cheeky little babies" who have put the wind-up all their more "elderly" opponents. They will have to work very hard to win, though, and I would not like to say who will come out victorious. It all depends on the first couple of innings—if the Filipinos can gather a few markers, they will play with otherwise "oh well, let's wait and see!"

At the present moment it looks as if South China will win the Shield again this year, and the only team that can possibly make any difference to the situation is the Japanese. If they win all their remaining games and beat S.C.A.A. when they meet again, there will be a re-play between these teams, otherwise the Chinese will carry off the season's honours.

The position of the teams up-to-date is as follows:

	P. W. L.	Pctg.
South China	5	0.100
Japanese	4	3.075
Kiaoras	5	2.040
Filipinos	3	1.033
Baseball Club	5	0.000

It will be seen that I have credited the Japanese with the points for the game which the Baseball Club forfeited to them. And of course, the Baseball Club is "debited" with those points!

Unless some of our heavy hitters back-up and hit a crop of home-runs, it seems as though the prize presented by a local fan for the highest number of home-runs (individuals) scored during the season will not go to anybody, for the number must be five. Up to the present no player has scored more than a single homer, and the Japanese team is the only one that is not represented in the Home Run Table. The Filipinos have two of their heavy hitters in the list. They should have three really, but Terry Leonard put things all wrong by missing the third sack on his way home when he slammed a beauty way over left-field in the Filipino-Baseball Club match about a month ago.

The home-run table is as follows:

Zafra (Filipinos)	1
Chinn (Kiaoras)	1
D. Leonard (Filipinos)	1
M. Chang (S. China)	1
Russakoff (Baseball Club)	1

CRICKET NOTES.

SELECTIONS FOR INTER-PORTS NETS.

THE SHANGHAI SIDE DISCUSSED.

The game on the H.K.C.C. ground on Saturday last taught us very little more as regards the probable personnel of the Interport side next November. I have always said that Parker was about the best bowler remaining in the Colony after Wales left us, and he proved it by getting seven wickets for less than seven runs apiece. At one time indeed he had seven for less than four runs each. He was bowling a length and turning the ball a bit both ways. No one else did much. Now there are two points to be kept in mind over this. One is that, on the whole, the batting was very weak. The other is that the wicket played almost perfectly. This latter feature is very pleasant and reflects great credit on the officials who are responsible for the returning of the middle of the ground. Although the turf was only laid last Spring it played excellently. And though the rain on Sunday and Monday upset the plans of a lot of us, nothing better could have happened for the pitch (or, I believe, for the Water Department!).

Interport Nets.

I am, by request, dealing with the list of those who are selected for Interport Nets at the H.K.C.C. (and therefore, I believe, are made Honorary Members of the Club where necessary, for the Interport period), as from Tuesday evening. No doubt towards the end of these notes I shall have something to add. Why I am actually writing these lines on Tuesday night is because a definite list is up. Certain "probable" names are omitted and this has in the past caused quite a lot of unnecessary heart-burning among those who may seem to be omitted without fair cause. The fact is that, though the H.K.C.C. had circulated Clubs asking for the names of players whom the Clubs wished to put forward neither the I.R.C., Craigengower, Civil Service, nor University have as yet replied. After the first list, which I print below, the reply from University came in, and D. J. N. Anderson and S. V. Giffins are to be added thereto.

The Original List.

The list, as compiled at first, reads, in no particular order, as follows:

R. Hancock, T. E. Pearce, V. W. L. Stanion, A. C. I. Bowker, W. Brace, E. B. Reed, H. V. Parker, A. Reid, H. J. Armstrong, Lieut. Musson, Lieut. Alva, S. Jax, E. C. Fincher, E. F. Fincher, D. P. Xavier, W. C. Hung, T. C. Yeo, L. Goldman, A. T. Lee, C. E. R. Divett, J. A. Summers, F. Zimmern, Lieut. Col. Wyatt, Lieut. Musson, G. P. Lammert (jun.), Capt. Reynolds, J. R. Hinton, E. J. R. Mitchell, A. D. Coppin, E. W. Hamilton, J. Bonnar, and last (but not least) H. Owen Hughes.

More to Come.

No doubt other names will be added, as for example, A. A. Rumjahn and M. P. Madar from the I.R.C. and Richardson, B. D. Evans and possibly Kelly from the Civil Service. For the moment I cannot recall any probable name from Craigengower.

As I say, I have put this down on Tuesday night to show the position thus early on, that no one may start the season with a moan!

Long Shots Early On.

It is, of course, the duty of every self-respecting cricket scribe to know the team long before the Selection Committee does, and to prophesy before there are any real grounds for forecasting the side. I fear I don't go as far as that. The probabilities, thus early on, seem to me to consist of Hancock, Pearce, Bruce, Owen Hughes, Parker, L. Goldman, Colonel Wyatt and Capt. Reynolds. This only leaves room for three "Possibles," and for these places I shall expect to see Lieut. Musson, E. B. Reed, V. W. L. Stanion, A. C. I. Bowker, W. C. Hung, E. C. Fincher, A. A. Rumjahn, J. Bonnar (he once appeared as Plummer in the notices—merely had writing on my part!) D. J. N. Anderson and A. T. Lee prominent.

Dark Horses.

As at present advised there are only two rumoured dark horses of whom I know nothing. Richardson of the C.S.C.C., has a big reputation, while Lieut. Col. Craik (apologies if the name is wrong) is a Free Forester who has made a lot of runs, and also, I hear, keeps wicket. Wood of the P.W.D. is not on the list. He shaped well last Saturday but is one of those players who are likely to fall to the ground through trying to engage in too many games at once.

The Shanghai Team.

By the courtesy of the Hon. Secretary of the H.K.C.C. (I write now on Thursday) I learn that the Shanghai side propose to sail on the Empress of Canada on November 2, arriving here on the 4th. (This by the way will not give them much time for practice before the Malaya match). In all probability they will return on the President Taft sailing on the 16th. The personnel of the party is not quite definite, but will probably be Leach (Capt.), Wilson, Barnes, Rawthorne, Marshall, Stokes, Simpson, Madar, Divecha, Quick, Gillespie and Orr. Our old friend Baker again comes as manager and Hampson will score.

It is typical of our changing population that the two best cricketers of this side would have been playing for Hong Kong had the game been played last year. Leach has never played for us, but Quick has represented the Colony several times, and will now make his first—but, as we shall learn to our cost, not his last—appearance for the Northern port. Besides these players whom I think every one knows, I will briefly mention old friends for the benefit of those of my readers who are new to the Colony.

Torry Wilson is a fast swinger who is dangerous if he gets a wicket early on. Can't bat, but has made runs. Barnes is a fine stumper and though he seldom gets a run he is quite capable of keeping up his wicket for an hour or so. His stonewalling and Isaac's slogging won the game for Shanghai in 1925—I am not quite sure of the date and have no reference book handy, but I think it was the last but one match down here). Rawthorne is a right-hand spin bowler with a little swing. Only a fair bat. Stokes, a much improved bat with a good style. They say he is a change bowler but I don't expect him to get any one out who is a better bat than I am, unless he has come on! Pat Madar is a bat and a useful field. Divecha is one of the stickiest bats in the side and a very hard man to get out. Dangerous if things are going well for his side.

The New-comers.

Marshall, Simpson, Gillespie and Orr are new to Hong Kong as Interporters. The first-name is a young right hander who hits hard on the off but is said to be weak on the leg—a good field.

O. G. Simpson is a pretty right-hand bat who watches the ball and still uses that old-fashioned but prettiest of shots—the late cut. He is, I hear, considered a very useful man by the critics up North. Gillespie is a right-handed bat with a long reach and that is all I know! Orr, if it is the "A.P.C." Orr, has been here but never got past the Club Second Eleven.

Back to Hong Kong.

The H.K.C.C. v. K.C.C. match on the Club ground to-morrow should show a good many potential Interporters out, and I hope to have a report of it in the Monday edition of the Daily Press.

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FRIENDLY CRICKET.

H.K.C.C. v. KOWLOON C.C.

The following teams have been selected to represent the H.K.C.C. v. K.C.C. on Saturday next:—

1st XI. (Home)—H. R. B. Hancock (Capt.), A. C. I. Bowker, J. L. Bonnar, J. R. Hinton, O. Moor, H. Owen Hughes, H. V. Parker, T. E. Pearce, A. Reid, V. W. L. Stanion, E. B. Reed.

2nd XI. (Away)—W. W. Mackenzie (Capt.), A. D. Coppin, H. J. Armstrong, G. E. R. Divett, D. Hutchison, C. P. James, Skinner, F. A. Summers, H. R. Romington, H. L. F. Ewin, R. M. Wood.

I.R.C. 2nd XI. v. R.E. & R.S.

When the above teams meet in a friendly game on the latter's ground at Sookun Poo on Saturday, the Indians will be represented by:—

M. P. Madar (Capt.), H. T. Barma, A. R. Sufad, D. Mohammed, F. M. el Arculli, A. R. Ismail, A. M. Rumjahn, J. S. Ackler, D. M. Abdul-Razack and J. M. A. Ramjahn.

VOLUNTEERS v. I.R.C.

The following will represent the Volunteers on Sunday at 2 p.m. at the I.R.C. ground against the I.R.C.:—

A. C. I. Bowker (Capt.), J. R. Hinton, E. R. West, J. A. Summers, A. Reid, O. Moor, G. E. R. Divett, C. A. L. Rickett, H. L. F. Ewin, W. D. Felley, and J. E. Richardson.

40 WEALS ON A BOY'S BACK.

James Featherstone, a farm hand, was at Mansfield fined two guineas for causing unnecessary suffering to his son, whom he thrashed with a strap for disobedience.

Evidence was given that there were forty weals on the boy's back, and Dr. Littlewood, who examined the boy, said he did not think he could have remained conscious during the thrashing.

BILLIARDS.

STEEL COULSON'S LEAGUE.

At a committee meeting of the Steel Coulson Billiard League held in the R.A.O.B. Club on Wednesday it was decided that the winners should play the rest of the league at 6 p.m. on October 11, the match to be on the Somerset Sergeants' Mess table commencing at 6 p.m. sharp.

The following were selected to represent the "Rest"—Mr. Earnshaw (R.A.O.B.) (Capt.), Mr. Ribeiro (Craigengower), C.P.O. Hamlyn (C. & P.O.), S. Sgt. Royal (R.E. Sergeants' Mess), B.S.M. Leach (R.A. Sergeants' Mess), M. Kwok (H.K. Police Mess).

Reserves: C.S.M. Tricker (Somerset Sergeants' Mess), Mr. Blakey (H.K. Police), Sgt. Hodson (Garrison Mess).

By kind permission of the members of the Somerset Sergeants' Mess a dance will be held on the tennis court commencing at 8 p.m.

The committee cordially invite members of different clubs and messes that have entered for the league to bring along their wives and friends to ensure a successful termination of the league, which they hope has been the means of fostering a spirit of friendship among the different clubs and messes.

MOTOR-COACH DITCHED.

STEERING WHEEL COMES OFF IN DRIVER'S HAND.

A remarkable case in which it was stated that the steering wheel of a motor-coach twice came off in the hands of the driver was heard at Southend Police Court, when William Herbert Kiddy, of Central Avenue, Southend, was fined £5, with £2 14s. costs, for failing to have fittings on a motor-car so as not to cause danger to the passengers.

Superintendent Crockford said the steering wheel came off in Kiddy's hands as he was driving towards Shoebury. He replaced it, and passed a remark that he had lost a nut from it that morning. The steering wheel came off again later, and the motor-coach ran into a ditch. The passengers were thrown out, and although not hurt, they were badly shaken.

The mayor (Councillor R. Thurlow Baker), chairman of the Bench, said a defective steering wheel endangered the life of every passenger.

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HONG KONG AREA FOOTBALL LEAGUE.

MATCHES DURING LAST WEEK-END.

The following are the results of matches played during the week ending 27-9-29:-

Mon. 23 Sept.	"C" K.O.S.B.	4	20th H. Bty. R.A.	0
Tues. 24	"B" K.O.S.B.	4	"A" S.L.I.	2
Tues. 24	"C" S.L.I.	3	"D" K.O.S.B.	1
Thurs. 26	"B" S.L.I.	2	H.Q. K.O.S.B.	1
Thurs. 26	R.A.M.C.	0	R.E. & R.S.	0
Friday, 27	"A" K.O.S.B.	2	H.Q. S.L.I.	1
Friday, 27	31st H. Bty. R.A.	1	12th H. Bty. R.A.	2

LEAGUE TABLE UP TO AND FOR MATCHES PLAYED ON SEPTEMBER 27.

	Played.	Wine.	Loss.	Drawn.	For.	Agnt.	Points.
"C" K.O.S.B.	3	3	0	0	8	1	6
"D" S.L.I.	2	2	0	0	9	1	4
"B" K.O.S.B.	3	2	1	0	9	4	4
"C" S.L.I.	3	2	1	0	6	7	4
"B" S.L.I.	3	2	1	0	3	4	4
12th H. Bty. R.A.	3	1	1	1	7	5	3
31st H. Bty. R.A.	3	1	1	1	7	5	3
H.Q. K.O.S.B.	3	1	1	1	5	4	3
R.E. & R.S.	3	1	1	1	4	3	3
H.Q. S.L.I.	3	1	1	1	4	3	3
R.A.O.C.	2	1	1	0	2	5	2
"A" K.O.S.B.	3	1	2	0	6	7	2
"A" S.L.I.	3	1	2	0	8	10	2
"D" K.O.S.B.	3	0	2	1	3	7	1
R.A.M.C.	2	0	1	1	0	1	1
R.A.S.C. & R.A.P.C.	1	0	1	0	0	4	0
20th H. Bty. R.A.	3	0	3	0	1	7	0

LOCAL FOOTBALL.

SENIOR DIVISION FIXTURES.

October 5:-
R.A. v. Police (Sookunpo).
Chinese v. Recreation (Stadium).
Club v. Kowloon (Club).
Somerset v. Navy (Kowloon).
St. Joseph's v. K.O.S.B. (St. Joseph's).

October 12:-
South China v. R.A. (Caroline Hill).
St. Joseph v. Kowloon. (St. Joseph).
Recreation v. Navy (Recreation).
Somerset v. K.O.S.B. (Sookunpo).

Chinese v. Club (Stadium).
October 14:-
Club v. Somersets (Club).
October 18:-
K.O.S.B. v. R.A. (Sookunpo).

October 19:-
Kowloon v. South China (Kowloon).
K.O.S.B. v. Recreation (Sookunpo).
St. Joseph's v. Chinese (Club).
Police v. Somersets (St. Joseph's).

Navy v. Club (Caroline Hill).
October 23:-
Navy v. K.O.S.B. (Caroline Hill).
October 26:-
South China v. Police (Caroline Hill).
Club v. K.O.S.B. (Club).
R.A. v. St. Joseph's (Sookunpo).
Somersets v. Recreation (Chatham Road).
Kowloon v. Navy (Kowloon).
October 30:-
K.O.S.B. v. Police (Sookunpo).

November 2:-
Chinese v. Somersets (Stadium).
Navy v. R.A. (Caroline Hill).
Recreation v. South China (Recreation).
St. Joseph's v. Police (St. Joseph's).
K.O.S.B. v. Kowloon (Sookunpo).

November 9:-
Chinese v. Navy (Stadium).
R.A. v. Club (Sookunpo).
Kowloon v. Police (Kowloon).
South China v. K.O.S.B. (Caroline Hill).
St. Joseph's v. Somersets (Club).

November 11:-
Services v. The Rest.
November 18:-
Army v. Navy (Lai Wah Cup).
Kowloon v. R.A. (Kowloon).
South China v. St. Joseph's (Caroline Hill).
Club v. Recreation (Club).
Police v. Chinese (Stadium).
November 20:-
K.O.S.B. v. Somersets (Sookunpo).

November 23:-
K.O.S.B. v. Chinese (Sookunpo).
St. Joseph's v. Navy (St. Joseph's).
Club v. South China (Club).
Recreation v. Police (Recreation).
Kowloon v. R.A. (Kowloon).
November 30:-
Chinese v. Civilian (Lai Wah Cup).
R.A. v. Somersets (Kowloon).

KOWLOON F.C. v. H.K.F.C.
The following will represent the Kowloon Football Club v. Hong Kong Club on the Hong Kong Football Club ground, Happy Valley to-morrow. Kick off 4.30 p.m.:-
Nicholls, Gillett, Pile, McKelvie, Downman, Bliss, Eastman, Hedley, Pile, Gallaher, Mile. Reserves: Easterbrook, Simpson.

KOWLOON F.C. RES. v. R.A.
The following will represent the Kowloon Football Club v. R.A. on the Sookunpo ground to-morrow. Kick off 7 p.m.:-
Angus, Guest, East, Moore, Campbell, Dunnett, Hannan, Spary, Moss, Coates, Bickford. Reserves: Seddon, Springott.

HOME FOOTBALL.

ENGLISH AND SCOTTISH LEAGUE MATCHES.

TO-MORROW'S FIXTURES.

The following are the Home Football fixtures for to-morrow and during the week:-

ENGLISH LEAGUE.

Division I.

Birmingham	v.	Middlesbrough
Bolton	v.	Aston Villa
Burnley	v.	Wednesday
Derby	v.	Portsmouth
Everton	v.	Arsenal
Grimley	v.	West Ham
Huddersfield	v.	Blackburn
Leicester	v.	Liverpool
Manchester U.	v.	Manchester C.
Sheffield U.	v.	Newcastle
Sunderland	v.	Leeds U.

Division II.

Barnsley	v.	Blackpool
Bradford	v.	Bury
Bristol C.	v.	Wolves
Cardiff	v.	Swansea
Millwall	v.	Charlton
Notts C.	v.	Stoke
Preston N.E.	v.	Bradford C.
Reading	v.	Hull
Southampton	v.	Oldham
Tottenham	v.	Notts Forest
West Brom.	v.	Chelsea

Division III. (Southern).

Coventry	v.	Clapton O.
Crystal P.	v.	Northampton
Fulham	v.	Southend
Merthyr	v.	Swindon
Newport	v.	Bristol R.
Norwich	v.	Exeter
Plymouth	v.	Gillingham
Queen's P.R.	v.	Luton
Torquay	v.	Brighton
Walsall	v.	Bournemouth
Watford	v.	Brentford

Division III. (Northern).

Accrington	v.	Rotherham
Barrow	v.	Carlisle
Darlington	v.	Halifax
Doncaster	v.	Lincoln
Hartlepool	v.	Tranmere
New Brighton	v.	Southport
Port Vale	v.	Nelson
South Shields	v.	Rochdale
Stockport	v.	Crawley
Wrexham	v.	Wigan
York City	v.	Chesterfield

SCOTTISH LEAGUE.

Division I.

Airdrie	v.	Clyde
Ayr U.	v.	Cowdenbeath
Celtic	v.	Falkirk
Dundee	v.	Queen's Park
Hearts	v.	Rangers
Morton	v.	Hamilton
Motherwell	v.	Hibernians
Partick	v.	Kilmarnock
St. Johnstone	v.	Aberdeen
St. Mirren	v.	Dundee U.

MONDAY.

Division I.

Sheffield U.	v.	Manchester U.
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WEDNESDAY.

Division I.

Liverpool	v.	Blackburn
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Division II.

Tottenham	v.	Stoke
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[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Oct. 2.
At Sunderland to-day, in the First Division of the Football League, Sunderland and Everton drew, each side scoring twice.

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HELENA MAY INSTITUTE.

WINTER PROGRAMME.

The following winter programme of concerts, lectures and religious activities has been arranged for the forthcoming winter by the Committee of the Helena May Institute:-

CONCERTS.

Thursday, at 5.30 p.m.
October 24.-Opening Concert (Mrs. Wyatt).
November 7.-Classical Music (Madame Bonenfant).
November 21.-Balad Concert (Mr. F. Mason, A.R.C.O., L.T.C.L.).
December 5.-Music of Childhood (Mrs. Bellamy and Mrs. Little).
January 9.-Vocal and Piano Recital (Mrs. Bowes Smith).
January 23.-Musical Interlude (Mrs. Womack).
February 6.-Local Composers (Col. Cardew).
February 20.-Selections from Light Opera (Mrs. Bellamy).
March 6.-Concert by Request.
March 20.-Miscellaneous.
The names of the ladies and gentlemen organising these concerts which are open to the public, are given in brackets.
Tickets should be applied for in advance, and sent booked. (Telephone Matron C. 2100).
Season Tickets for 10 concerts: Members \$2.50, non-members \$4.50.
October 31.-Tea Dance at 5 p.m. Tickets 50 cents including tea.

OPEN LECTURES.

Tuesdays, at 5.30 p.m.
December 10.-Dr. Wellington, "Life of a Mosquito."
March 18.-Mrs. Dovey, "Child Welfare in the Tropics."
CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP MEETING.

Every Friday
10.30 a.m.-Meeting with special speakers: Rev. J. C. Knight, Anstey. Subsequent speakers will be advertised each month.
5.45 to 6.45 p.m.-Meeting of the "Little Company of Christ." A Study Circle in the morning will be arranged.
Particulars from the Secretary.
A Retreat will be held at Cheung Chau Island, from Friday, November 15, to Monday morning, November 18.
Leaders:-Very Rev. A. Swann, Rev. J. C. Knight, Anstey, Rev. F. O. Young.
Particulars from the Secretary.

ROSARY CHURCH, KOWLOON.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR PATRONAL FESTIVAL.

The Rosary Church, Kowloon, is celebrating its patronal festival, the Feast of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary on Sunday next.
The services will be as follows:-
Morning.
First Mass 8.30 a.m.
Second Mass 7.30 "
Third Mass 8.30 "
Solemn Pontifical Mass 9.30 "
Evening, 4.30 p.m.
Recitation of the Rosary, Procession, Sermon and Benediction.
The Procession.

The order of the Procession will be:-1 Boy Scouts, 2 The Banner of Our Lady, 3 St. Louis Industrial School, 4 Girls' Scattering Flowers, 5 Knights of the Blessed Sacrament, 6 St. Joseph's College Apostleship of Study, 7 Chinese Catholic Young Men Society, 8 St. Joseph's Confraternity, 9 St. Margaret Banner, 10 Apostleship of Prayer Hong Kong and Kowloon, 11 Bearers of the Mysteries of the Rosary, 12 Cross of the Confraternity of the Rosary, 13 Confraternity of the Holy Rosary, 14 Chinese Catholic Young Women Society, 15 Congregation of St. Aloysius, 16 The Children of Mary, 17 Girls' Scattering Flowers, 18 The Clergy, 19 The Statue of Our Lady, 20 Guard of Honour, 21 The Bishop, 22 The Consul and Knights, 23 Ladies' Apostleship of Prayer, 24 The Band, 25 The Faithful.

ADVICE FOR INVESTORS.

READERS are reminded that inquiries relating to the share market are answered on page 10 every Tuesday by "Kufan." Letters should be sent to this office, and must be accompanied by writer's name and address, not for publication. Letters should be addressed to "Kufan," care of the Editor.

Bucharest.-The trial has begun in Bucharest of 44 Rumanian "Fascists," who are accused of planning to occupy the principal Government buildings and surround the homes of members of the Government.

ARMY HARBOUR RACE.

LANCE-CORPL. FINLAYSON WINS EVENT.

TWENTY-SEVEN OUT OF THIRTY FINISHED.

Thirty competitors took the water in the annual Army Harbour Race held yesterday afternoon and the race went to Lance-Corporal Finlayson of the K.O.S.B. who finished in the excellent time of 28 mins. 42.3 seconds. The race was from the (Railway) pier, Kowloon, to the R.A.S.C. canteen.

Finlayson struck an easterly course and began by swimming against the current. He made full use of the current in the finishing stage of the race when he was hard pressed by Lance-Bombardier Clutterbuck, R.A., who kept almost a straight course.

Clutterbuck and Gunner Forrester, R.A., kept close together throughout the race and headed a bunch of some fifteen swimmers on the West side. Finlayson swam almost by himself on the Eastern course with a commanding lead over all other competitors who followed in his wake.

The closing stages were very interesting. Clutterbuck having a slight lead about 200 yards from home, but Finlayson, by reason of the fact that he had the current with him, not only reduced the lead but won by the handsome margin of 30-40 yards.

This annual event, which arouses a good deal of friendly rivalry among the troops stationed here was first held in 1926 when Lieut. Johnson of the Durham Light Infantry, A.D.C. to Major-General C. C. Luard (until lately G.O.C. of South China), won the event. In 1927 Bombardier Norris, R.A., was the winner and Lance-Corporal Finlayson succeeded in obtaining first place last year.

The winner is presented with a silver challenge cup given by the East Surrey Regiment and the next six men are also given cups. All competitors finishing within 15 minutes of the winner receive certificates.

The prizes were yesterday distributed by Col. S. MacD. Haskard, C.M.G., D.S.O., who said he was taking the place of Major-General Sandilands, who was unable to be present. The race, said Col. Haskard, demonstrated how fit a number of the men were. Finlayson, particularly, had put up a creditable performance.

He congratulated the swimmers who had completed their course, observing that 27 out of thirty had finished and although the last man did not come in "fifteen minutes behind the winner" he pluckily stuck through it.

The order of finishing yesterday was:—

1. L. Cpl. Finlayson (K.O.S.B.). Time: 28 mins. 42.3 sec.
2. L. Bdr. Clutterbuck (R.A.). Time: 27 mins. 29.3 sec.
3. Cnr. Forrester (R.A.). Time: 29 mins. 51.3 sec.
4. Pte. Wilson (K.O.S.B.).
5. Pte. Parkes (Somerset L.I.).
6. Cnr. Purvis (R.A.).

Certificates are to be forwarded to the following:—7. Gnr. Rosser, R.A.; 8. Gnr. Cavanagh, R.A.; 9. Trumpeter Oliver, R.A.; 10. Pte. Jordan, K.O.S.B.; 11. Cpl. Branch, K.O.S.B.; 12. Gnr. McDermott, R.A.; 13. Gnr. Grey, R.A.; 14. Pte. Turner, K.O.S.B.; 15. Pte. Freeman, K.O.S.B.; 16. Pte. McIntosh, K.O.S.B.; 17. Gnr. Greenway, R.A.; 18. Gnr. Fogarty, R.A.; 19. Pte. Ferguson, K.O.S.B.; 20. Pte. Wilson, K.O.S.B.; 21. Gnr. Adams, R.A.; 22. Pte. Gnr. K.O.S.B.; 23. R.A.; 24. Gnr. Warner, R.A.; 25. Gnr. Bomdr. Falk, R.A.; 26. Gnr. Palmer, R.A.

HONG KONG VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS.

[ORDERS BY LT.-COL. L. G. BIRD, D.S.O., O.B.E., COMMANDANT.]

No. 40/29.

1.—Annual Camps.

All ranks are reminded that the annual training camps will take place this year at Fanling during the following week-ends:—

Friday p.m., Nov. 15, till Sunday p.m., Nov. 17.
Friday p.m., Nov. 22, till Sunday p.m., Nov. 24.
Friday p.m., Nov. 29, till Sunday p.m., Dec. 1.
Friday p.m., Dec. 6, till Sunday p.m., Dec. 8.

Full details which will be much the same as last year will be published later.

2.—Musketry.

The Engineer and Reserve Companies will fire Table "T" Part II. at Stonecutters Range on Sunday, October 6, 1929.
Range Officer: Lieut. M. A. Johnson, M.M.
Launch will leave Queen's Pier at 9 a.m. and call at Kowloon Pier at 9.10 a.m.
Dress: (Musketry order), uniform of multi optional.

3.—Holiday.

Thursday, October 10, having been declared a general holiday, no parade will take place on that date.
Notification No. 486 Hong Kong Government Gazette dated Sept. 27, 1929.

4.—Orders.

In view of Thursday, October 10, being observed at a holiday, orders will be closed at 10 a.m. on Wednesday, October 9, by which time all Company Orders must be received at this office.

5.—Corps Band.

The Band will parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, the 4th inst., in multi.

6.—The Battery.

Parade for Gun Drill at Headquarters on Friday, October 11, at 5.30 p.m.

7.—Mounted Infantry Company.

The Company will parade on Tuesday, October 8, at 5.30 p.m., at Causeway Bay, Stables for M.G. Drill with Pack Ponies.

8.—Armoured Car Company.

The Company will parade at Headquarters on Friday, October 11, at 5.30 p.m., for Machine Gun Instruction.

9.—Machine Gun Company.

The Company will parade at Headquarters on Tuesday, October 8, at 5.30 p.m. in multi for Machine Gun Training under Platoon arrangement. No. 2 Platoon will proceed to Kennedy Road Range by Ford Truck at 5.20 p.m. Range Officer: 2/Lt. D. M. Richards.

Musketry Table "T" Part II. will be fired at the Peak Range at 10 a.m. on Sunday, October 6. Range Officer: Lieut. A. H. Penn. This is the last opportunity for those who have not yet fired to do so. Rifles may be drawn at the usual times on Friday and Saturday, the 4th and 5th inst.

Company Dinner will be held at Corps Headquarters on Friday, November 1, at 8 p.m. Tickets are obtainable from Platoon Commandants on parade nights. Price \$1 only. All ranks are asked to make an effort to be present to ensure a successful evening.

Athletic Sports. The M.C. Company having now won the Commandant's Cup for four years in succession, the Cup now becomes the property of the Company. O/C. Company wishes to congratulate all ranks who have assisted towards the winning of this cup.

Rifle Club. The Peak Range is allotted to the Company on Sunday morning, October 13. Commence firing 9.15 a.m.

10.—Scottish Company.

Thursday, October 10, being a general holiday no parades will take place on that date.

11.—Portuguese Company.

Part II. Musketry. The Company is reminded that Part II. Musketry will be fired at Stonecutters on Sunday, October 13.

Parade. The Company will parade on Friday, October 11, for training as under:—Recruits at Headquarters for Arms and Squad Drill. Dress: Optional, rifle, bayonet and belt.

Nos. 9 and 10 Platoons at Miniature Range for Musketry (fire orders and discipline) Landscape targets. Dress: Optional belt.
Nos. 11 and 12 Platoons at Kennedy Road Range for Lewis Gun firing practice. Dress: Optional belt.

12.—Strength.

The following recruits have been taken on the strength and posted as under:—

No. 1500 Pte. L. G. Frost, M.I. Co., from September 19, 1929.
No. 1501 Pte. R. F. Souza, No. 11 Platoon, from September 20, 1929.
No. 1502 Pte. A. E. Arnold, M.I. Co., from September 30, 1929.
No. 1503 Pte. W. D. Foley, No. 4 Platoon, from October 1, 1929.
No. 1504 Pte. H. Bullock, No. 4 Platoon, from October 1, 1929.
(Continued on next column).

TO-DAY'S WIRELESS PROGRAMME.

BROADCAST BY Z.B.W. ON 350 METRES.

11 to 11.30 a.m.—Commercial News, Share Reports, etc., in Chinese and English.

12.30 to 1.30 p.m.—Demonstration programme (English and Chinese regards): For use of radio dealers.

1.45 p.m.—Weather report.
5 to 6 p.m.—Programme of Chinese music (records supplied by Messrs. Wing Lok Co.).
6 to 7 p.m.—English records programme. (For Hospital).
7.45 p.m.—Evening weather report.

9 p.m.—Evening general programme. (Columbia records supplied by Messrs. Anderson Music Co., Ltd.).

"Lover's Lane Minuet" (Tours) and "Musical Switch-Humoresque," Plaza Theatre Orchestra.
"Arabian Night" (Arbos), Madrid Symphony Orchestra.
"My Heart Stood Still" (Rodgers) and "The Birth of the Blues," Piano-forte Solo, Edythe Baker.
"Orang Fantasy of Old Songs," Grand Organ Solo, W. G. Webber.

"The Three Bears" (E. Coates), Plaza Theatre Orchestra.
"The Chairman's Remarks" (Stewart), Burlesque Recital by William McCulloch.

"Fidelle" (Beethoven), Overture, Musique De La Garde Republique.
"Mother Goose" (Ravel), Suite for Orchestra, New York Symphony Orchestra.

"Lend Me Your Aid" (Gounod), from "Queen of Sheba," Tenor, Francis Russell.
"Song of the Sea" (Kunze), Selection, His Majesty's Theatre Orchestra.

"No Power On Earth" and "The Change Of The Tenth Brigade," Comedian, Billy Bennett.
"The Yeomen Of The Guard" (Gilbert and Sullivan), Columbia Light Opera Company.
"The Selfish Giant" (Wilde), Told by Rex Palmer.

"Hungarian Rhapsody No. 1 in F" (Liszt), Ernest Von Dehnanyi and the Budapest Philharmonic Orchestra.
10.30 p.m.—Close down.

CROSS-CHANNEL DRUNKS. FRENCH POLICEMEN BADLY ASSAULTED.

Bitter complaints of the conduct of some excursionists from England who are injuring British prestige are made by both British and French residents at Boulogne.

A typical case took place recently. A British excursionist, who had arrived by the steamer Waverley, assaulted a policeman, with the result that he was sentenced to six days' imprisonment in addition to fines.

The Boulogne police are at their wits' end to know how to deal with this type of holiday-maker. He crosses the Channel with little money, spends all he has, and often calls upon the British vice-consul and tells him that it is the vice-consul's job to send him home.

22 In One Day.

On one single day recently the vice-consul had to provide funds to reimburse 22 persons who had "missed the boat."

Some of the offenders have had too much to drink, and some, as stated above, assault the police. Cases have occurred frequently of late in which policemen have been badly injured in trying to get disorderly excursionists on board the homegoing ships.

The behaviour of these people who bring the name of England into disrepute is sometimes so extraordinary that peaceful and respectable British visitors are almost ashamed to acknowledge them as fellow-citizens.

13.—Resignation.

No. 1439 Pte. H. E. Westlake, the Battery, and No. 1041 Pte. J. E. R. Coils, No. 5 Platoon, having left the Colony.

14.—Promotion.

H.E. the Governor has been pleased to appoint No. 1160 Sergt. H. W. Williams to be 2nd-Lieut. in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps as from September 20, 1929, Authority C.S.O. 255/1929.

15.—Command.

2nd-Lieut. H. W. Williams continues in command of the Motor Cycle Section as from date.

16.—Corps Signals.

Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, October 7, for Signal Training. All ranks are expected to attend. Dress: Multi.

R. A. Wolfe-Murray, Major, Adjutant, H.K.V.D.C. Hong Kong, October 3, 1929.

NOTICES.

1.—Naval, Military and Air Force Directory. Copies of the above which contains the names and addresses of all Officers of H.M. Regular Forces and the Volunteer Defence Corps, in the command, are now on sale at the lower Peak tram station, price 25 cents.

2.—A meeting of the Sergts. Mess will be held on Friday, October 11, 1929.

Money and Markets

DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS.

HONG KONG STOCK EXCHANGE. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION.

Buyers	Sellers	Bids	Nominal	THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3.	Buyers	Sellers	Bids	Nominal
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				H.K. Banks	\$1,265			
				Do. (London)				
				Chartered Bank				
				Mercantile Bks. "A"				
				Do. "C"				
				Bank of East Asia				
				Insurances				
				Canton Ins.	\$660			
				Underwriters	\$2.10			
				North China				
				Union Ins.	\$325			
				Yantai Ins.				
				China Firs	\$310			
				H.K. Firs	\$780			
				Shipping				
				Douglases	\$25			
				Steamboats	\$25			
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				H.K. Lands				
				Shanghai Lands				
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				Tramways	\$13.30			
				Peak Trams (old)	\$11.65			
				Do. (new)				
				Star Ferries	\$66.4			
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				Do. (new)	\$13			
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				Mega. Co.				
				Sandakan Lights				
				Telephones	\$7.45			
				China Buses				
				Tractions	9/-			
				Do. (pref.)				
				Industrials				
				Caldbeck (ord.)				
				Macgregor (pref.)				
				Canton Ice	\$3			
				Cements (comb.)	\$9.85			
				Do. (old)	\$3.00			
				Do. (new)	\$1.95			
				Ropes	\$7.50			
				China Sugars				
				Malabon Sugars				
				United Asbestos				
				Miscellaneous				
				Dairy Farms	\$9.40			
				Der A. Wings				
				Amusements	\$84			
				Constructions	\$0.90			
				Lane Crawfords	\$1.30			
				Machintos	\$4			
				Nanyang Tobacco				
				Sinceres (old)	\$10.25			
				Do. (new)	\$9.75			
				Watsons	\$11.40			
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Soviet Russia to-day is a country under arms, and the only persons there who seem to have escaped the general misery and poverty are the soldiers, according to Mr. Jesse Wright, a New York industrial expert, who has arrived at Warsaw after an extensive tour of Russia.

In conversation with the correspondent of the *Chicago Tribune*, he said:—

"We came out for days ahead of our schedule, and we were glad to get out. In no other place in the world have I seen so many uniformed soldiers or so many persons in plain clothing with sidearms and rifles. The moment you cross the border you see an armed nation.

"I came to Soviet Russia with a large excursion organized by the Amalgamated Bank of New York. We went by boat from Stockholm to Leningrad. The moment we left the ship we began to face misery. And misery is written all over the land. Leningrad, Moscow, Kieff, Sebastopol, Yalta—the same picture of desolation. When we came to our hotel in Leningrad we never dreamed it was possible for people to live in such filth and dirt.

Window-Dressing.
"We were furnished with Government guides, who started to show us all kinds of rest-rooms for workmen and schools for children. But in passing through the streets we noticed beautiful houses with no windows and broken roofs. When we asked our guides about them they declined to respond. A

President Liner

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Pres. Adams .. Sun., Oct. 6, 8 a.m.
Pres. Harrison .. Sun., Oct. 20, 8 a.m.
Pres. Johnson .. Sun., Nov.

ADVERTISED SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG.

ALEXANDRIA

Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 6.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Oct. 20.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar, Nov. 3.

AMOEY

Haiyang Douglas, Oct. 4.
Tjikarang, J.C.J.L., Oct. 5.
Antung, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Haining, Douglas, Oct. 8.
Linan, B.S., Oct. 9.
Haining, Douglas, Oct. 11.
Takada, B.I., Oct. 12.
Anhui, B. & S., Oct. 13.
Tjisalak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 14.
Suisang, Jardine's, Oct. 15.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, Oct. 16.
Tjibadak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 18.
Shirala, B.I., Oct. 19.

ANTWERP

Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Karmala, P. & O., Oct. 12.
Menelaus, B.F., Oct. 13.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Kalyan, P. & O., Oct. 28.
Afrika, Manners, Oct. 27.

AUSTRALIAN PORTS

St. Albans, E. & A., Oct. 4.
Change, B. & S., Oct. 13.
Aki Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 23.
Nellore, E. & A., Nov. 1.

BALTIC PORTS

Afrika, Manners, Oct. 27.

BALTIMORE

City of Norwich, Bank, Oct. 6.

BANGKOK

Hellas, Thoresen, Oct. 6.
Kwangchow, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Kalgan, B. & S., Oct. 13.

BELAWAN DELI

Van Heutz, J.C.J.L., Oct. 10.
Franken, Melchers, Oct. 15.
Fulda, Melchers, Oct. 19.

BOMBAY

Awa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 17.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.

BOSTON

City of Norwich, Bank, Oct. 6.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 6.
Imperial Prince, Furness, Oct. 9.
Lisbon Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 10.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Oct. 20.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 21.
Javanese Prince, Furness, Oct. 24.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar, Nov. 3.

BREMEN

Franken, Melchers, Oct. 15.
Fulda, Melchers, Oct. 19.
Afrika, Manners, Oct. 27.

BRINDISI

Duchessa d'Aosta, Dodwell's, Oct. 5.
Esquilino D'well's, Oct. 15.
Rosandra, D'well's, Nov. 2.

CALCUTTA

Kutsang, Jardine's, Oct. 5.
Geyon Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 9.
Lisbon Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 10.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Oct. 20.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 21.
Talamba, B.I., Oct. 24.
Yuensang, Jardine's, Oct. 25.

CEBU

Washington, S.S.S., Oct. 18.
G'den Tide, S.S.S., Oct. 24.

CHEFOO

Haining, Douglas, Oct. 11.
Kueichow B.S., Oct. 29.

COLOMBO

Duchessa d'Aosta, Dodwell's, Oct. 5.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 6.
Angers, M. & M., Oct. 8.
Preussen, J.C.J.L., Oct. 9.
Karmala, P. & O., Oct. 12.
Awa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Esquilino D'well's, Oct. 15.
Franken, Melchers, Oct. 15.
Vogtland, J.C.J.L., Oct. 17.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 17.
Fulda, Melchers, Oct. 19.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Oct. 20.
General Metzinger, M.M., Oct. 22.
Kalyan, P. & O., Oct. 28.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.
Duisburg, J.C.J.L., Oct. 30.
Nagore, P.O., Nov. 2.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar, Nov. 3.

COPENHAGEN

Afrika, Manners, Oct. 27.

DALNY

Linan, B. & S., Oct. 9.
Yingchow, B. & S., Oct. 2.
Trier, Melchers, Oct. 22.

DUTCH PORTS

Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
City of Pekin, Bank, Oct. 9.
Preussen, J.C.J.L., Oct. 9.
Karmala, P. & O., Oct. 12.
Franken, Melchers, Oct. 15.
Vogtland, J.C.J.L., Oct. 17.
Glenahol, Jardine's, Oct. 17.
Sumatra, Gilman's, Oct. 18.
Fulda, Melchers, Oct. 19.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Kalyan, P. & O., Oct. 28.
Afrika, Manners, Oct. 27.
Duisburg, J.C.J.L., Oct. 30.

FOOCHOW

Haiyang, Douglas, Oct. 4.
Kueichow, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Haining, Douglas, Oct. 8.
Haining, Douglas, Oct. 11.

GENOA

Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 6.
Preussen, J.C.J.L., Oct. 9.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 12.
Vogtland, J.C.J.L., Oct. 17.
Fulda, Melchers, Oct. 19.
Oanfa, B.F., Oct. 20.
Duisburg, J.C.J.L., Oct. 30.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar, Nov. 3.

GLASGOW

Oanfa, B.F., Oct. 20.

GOTHENBURG

Afrika, Manners, Oct. 27.

HAIPHONG AND HOIHOW

Chokiang, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Canton, M.M., Oct. 6.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Oct. 8.
Tonkin, M.M., Oct. 8.
Chengtu, B. & S., Oct. 17.

HAMBURG

City of Pekin, Bank, Oct. 9.
Preussen, J.C.J.L., Oct. 9.
Franken, Melchers, Oct. 15.
Menelaus, B.F., Oct. 15.
Vogtland, J.C.J.L., Oct. 17.
Glenahol, Jardine's, Oct. 17.
Sumatra, Gilman's, Oct. 18.
Fulda, Melchers, Oct. 19.
Afrika, Manners, Oct. 27.
Duisburg, J.C.J.L., Oct. 30.

HAYRE

Oanfa, B.F., Oct. 20.

HONOLULU

Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.
Pres. Cleveland, Dollar, Oct. 22.
Tenyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 30.

ILOILO

Washington, S.S.S., Oct. 18.
G'den Tide, S.S.S., Oct. 24.

JAPAN PORTS

Rosandra, D'well's, Oct. 4.
Main, Melchers, Oct. 5.
Tathibius, B.F., Oct. 5.
Aratun, E. & A., Oct. 6.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, Oct. 6.
Delta, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Perseus, B.F., Oct. 7.
Toyama Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 7.
Andre Lebon, M.M., Oct. 8.
Pres. Grant, A.M.L., Oct. 8.
Automedon, B.F., Oct. 9.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 9.
Lisbon Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 10.
Romolo, D'well's, Oct. 10.
Glenahol, Jardine's, Oct. 11.
Macedonia, P. & O., Oct. 12.
Takada, B.I., Oct. 12.
Sauerland, J.C.J.L., Oct. 14.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar, Oct. 15.
Suisang, Jardine's, Oct. 15.
Kidderpore, P. & O., Oct. 16.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.
Wakasa, Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.
Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 17.
Shirala, B.I., Oct. 19.
Malaya, Manners, Oct. 21.
Mishima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 21.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 21.
Porthos, M.M., Oct. 22.
Pres. Cleveland, Dollar, Oct. 22.
Beltna, P. & O., Oct. 23.
Pembroke, Jardine's, Oct. 23.
Ixion, B.F., Oct. 23.
Kashgar, P. & O., Oct. 23.
Kulmer Land, J.C.J.L., Oct. 26.
Pres. Madison, A.M.L., Oct. 29.
Romolo, Dodwell's, Oct. 29.
Talamba, B.I., Oct. 29.
Tenyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 30.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Oct. 31.
Lahn, Melchers, Nov. 2.

JAVAN PORTS

Tjileboet, J.C.J.L., Oct. 8.
Tjikembang, J.C.J.L., Oct. 9.
Tjikarang, J.C.J.L., Oct. 19.
Tjisalak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 22.

LIVERPOOL

Oanfa, B.F., Oct. 20.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.

LONDON

Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
City of Pekin, Bank, Oct. 9.
Karmala, P. & O., Oct. 12.
Menelaus, B.F., Oct. 15.
Glenahol, Jardine's, Oct. 17.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Kalyan, P. & O., Oct. 28.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.
Duisburg, J.C.J.L., Oct. 30.
Nagore, P.O., Nov. 2.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar, Nov. 3.

LOS ANGELES

Golden Star, S.S.S., Oct. 5.
Pres. Grant, A.M.L., Oct. 8.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 21.
Pres. Cleveland, Dollar, Oct. 22.
G'den Hind, S.S.S., Oct. 26.

MANILA

St. Albans, E. & A., Oct. 4.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 6.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar, Oct. 8.
Preussen, J.C.J.L., Oct. 9.
Preussen, J.C.J.L., Oct. 9.
Vogtland, J.C.J.L., Oct. 17.
Glenahol, Jardine's, Oct. 17.
Sumatra, Gilman's, Oct. 18.
Fulda, Melchers, Oct. 19.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Kalyan, P. & O., Oct. 28.
Afrika, Manners, Oct. 27.
Duisburg, J.C.J.L., Oct. 30.

MARSEILLES

Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 6.
Angers, M. & M., Oct. 8.
Karmala, P. & O., Oct. 12.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 12.
Franken, Melchers, Oct. 15.
Menelaus, B.F., Oct. 15.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Oct. 20.
General Metzinger, M.M., Oct. 22.
Kalyan, P. & O., Oct. 28.
Nagore, P.O., Nov. 2.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar, Nov. 3.

MILWAUKEE

City of Pekin, Bank, Oct. 9.
Preussen, J.C.J.L., Oct. 9.
Karmala, P. & O., Oct. 12.
Franken, Melchers, Oct. 15.
Vogtland, J.C.J.L., Oct. 17.
Glenahol, Jardine's, Oct. 17.
Sumatra, Gilman's, Oct. 18.
Fulda, Melchers, Oct. 19.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Kalyan, P. & O., Oct. 28.
Afrika, Manners, Oct. 27.
Duisburg, J.C.J.L., Oct. 30.

MARSEILLES

Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 6.
Angers, M. & M., Oct. 8.
Karmala, P. & O., Oct. 12.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 12.
Franken, Melchers, Oct. 15.
Menelaus, B.F., Oct. 15.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Oct. 20.
General Metzinger, M.M., Oct. 22.
Kalyan, P. & O., Oct. 28.
Nagore, P.O., Nov. 2.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar, Nov. 3.

NAPLES

Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 6.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Oct. 20.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar, Nov. 3.

NEWCHWANG

Cheongshing, Jardine's, Oct. 4.
Linan, B. & S., Oct. 9.
Chipsing, Jardine's, Oct. 20.

NEW YORK, BOSTON, etc.

City of Norwich, Bank, Oct. 6.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 6.
Imperial Prince, Furness, Oct. 9.
Lisbon Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 10.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Oct. 20.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 21.
Javanese Prince, Furness, Oct. 24.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar, Nov. 3.

NORTH CHINA

Main, Melchers, Oct. 5.
Sauerland, J.C.J.L., Oct. 14.
Trier, Melchers, Oct. 22.
Lahn, Melchers, Nov. 2.

OSLO

Sumatra, Gilman's, Oct. 18.
Afrika, Manners, Oct. 27.

PANAMA

Lisbon Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 10.
Taiping, Dodwell's, Oct. 21.

PENANG

Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Oct. 5.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 6.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 9.
Van Heutz, J.C.J.L., Oct. 10.
Karmala, P. & O., Oct. 12.
Tilawa, B.I., Oct. 12.
Awa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Namsang, Jardine's, Oct. 14.
Menelaus, B.F., Oct. 15.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 17.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Oct. 20.
Talamba, B.I., Oct. 24.
Yuensang, Jardine's, Oct. 25.
Kalyan, P. & O., Oct. 28.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.
Nagore, P. & O., Nov. 2.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar, Nov. 3.

PORTLAND

Iowa, S.S.S., Oct. 15.
Boliver, Bank, Oct. 16.

RANGOON

Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 9.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.

SAIGON

Angers, M. & M., Oct. 8.
General Metzinger, M.M., Oct. 22.

SANDAKAN

St. Albans, E. & A., Oct. 4.
Mausang, Jardine's, Oct. 5.
Huisang, Jardine's, Oct. 28.
Nellore, E. & A., Nov. 1.

SAN FRANCISCO

G'den Star, S.S.S., Oct. 5.
Pres. Grant, A.M.L., Oct. 8.
Lisbon Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 10.
Iowa, S.S.S., Oct. 15.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 21.
Pres. Cleveland, Dollar, Oct. 22.
G'den Hind, S.S.S., Oct. 26.
Tenyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 30.

SCANDINAVIAN PORTS

Sumatra, Gilman's, Oct. 18.
Afrika, Manners, Oct. 27.

SEATTLE

Toyama Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 7.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar, Oct. 15.
Boliver, Bank, Oct. 16.
Mishima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 21.
Pres. Madison, A.M.L., Oct. 29.

SHANGHAI

Chengtu, B. & S., Oct. 4.
Rosandra, D'well's, Oct. 4.
Main, Melchers, Oct. 5.
Tjikarang, J.C.J.L., Oct. 5.
Tjikembang, J.C.J.L., Oct. 5.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, Oct. 6.
Luchow, B.S., Oct. 6.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 6.
Delta, P. & O., Oct. 7.
Perseus, B.F., Oct. 7.
Toyama Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 7.
Angers, M. & M., Oct. 8.
Sinkiang, B.S., Oct. 8.
Tjikembang, J.C.J.L., Oct. 8.
Automedon, B.F., Oct. 9.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 9.

SHANGHAI—(Continued)

Linan, B. & S., Oct. 9.
Fooshing, Jardine's, Oct. 10.
Lisbon Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 10.
Romolo, D'well's, Oct. 10.
Glenahol, Jardine's, Oct. 11.
Macedonia, P. & O., Oct. 12.
Waishing, Jardine's, Oct. 13.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Sauerland, J.C.J.L., Oct. 14.
Kaga Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 15.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar, Oct. 15.
Wakasa, Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Oct. 16.
Kidderpore, P. & O., Oct. 16.
Taiyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.
Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 17.
Tjikarang, J.C.J.L., Oct. 18.
Malaya, Manners, Oct. 21.
Mishima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 21.
Tai Ping, Dodwell's, Oct. 21.
Porthos, M.M., Oct. 22.
Pres. Cleveland, Dollar, Oct. 22.
Trier, Melchers, Oct. 22.
Beltna, P. & O., Oct. 23.
Pembroke, Jardine's, Oct. 23.
Kashgar, P. & O., Oct. 23.
Kulmer Land, J.C.J.L., Oct. 26.
Pres. Madison, A.M.L., Oct. 29.
Romolo, Dodwell's, Oct. 29.
Tenyo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 30.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Oct. 31.
Lahn, Melchers, Nov. 2.

SINGAPORE

Duchessa d'Aosta, D'well's, Oct. 5.
Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 5.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Oct. 5.
Pres. Adams, Dollar, Oct. 6.
Angers, M. & M., Oct. 8.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, Oct. 8.
Genoa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 9.
Preussen, J.C.J.L., Oct. 9.
Van Heutz, J.C.J.L., Oct. 10.
Karmala, P. & O., Oct. 12.
Tilawa, B.I., Oct. 12.
Anhui, B. & S., Oct. 13.
Twa Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 14.
Namsang, Jardine's, Oct. 14.
Rangoon Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 16.
Vogtland, J.C.J.L., Oct. 17.
Glenahol, Jardine's, Oct. 17.
Mirzapore, P. & O., Oct. 17.
Fulda, Melchers, Oct. 19.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 19.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar, Oct. 20.
General Metzinger, M.M., Oct. 22.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 23.
Talamba, B.I., Oct. 24.
Yuensang, Jardine's, Oct. 25.
Kalyan, P. & O., Oct. 28.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.
Nagore, P. & O., Nov. 2.
Pres. Johnson, Dollar, Nov. 3.

SOUTH AFRICAN PORTS

Hakata Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 23.

SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS

Hakata Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 23.

SWATOW

Haiyang, Douglas, Oct. 4.
Hellas, Thoresen, Oct. 6.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, Oct. 6.
Kwangchow, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Luchow, B.S., Oct. 6.
Antung, B. & S., Oct. 7.
Haining, Douglas, Oct. 8.
Sinkiang, B.S., Oct. 8.
Fooshing, Jardine's, Oct. 10.
Haining, Douglas, Oct. 11.
Anhui, B. & S., Oct. 13.
Kalgan, B. & S., Oct. 13.
Tjisalak, J.C.J.L., Oct. 14.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Oct. 16.

TIENTSIN

Cheongshing, Jardine's, Oct. 4.
Haining, Douglas, Oct. 11.
Chipsing, Jardine's, Oct. 20.
Trier, Melchers, Oct. 22.
Kueichow B.S., Oct. 29.

TRIESTE AND VENICE

Duchessa d'Aosta, Dodwell's, Oct. 5.
Esquilino, D'well's, Oct. 15.
Rosandra, D'well's, Nov. 2.

TSINGTAO

Kwaisang, Jardine's, Oct. 6.
Szechuen, B. & S., Oct. 6.
Sinkiang, B.S., Oct. 8.
Fooshing, Jardine's, Oct. 10.
Waishing, Jardine's, Oct. 13.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Oct. 16.
Trier, Melchers, Oct. 22.

VANCOUVER, B.C.

Tathibius, B.F., Oct. 5.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Oct. 9.
Boliver, Bank, Oct. 16.
Ixion, B.F., Oct. 23.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Oct. 31.

VLADIVOSTOK

Glenahol, Jardine's, Oct. 11.
Shantung, Gilman's, Oct. 17.
Pembroke, Jardine's, Oct. 23.

WEIHAIWEI

Cheongshing, Jardine's, Oct. 4.
Haining, Douglas, Oct. 11.
Chipsing, Jardine's, Oct. 20.
Kueichow B.S., Oct. 29.

EXPECTED ARRIVALS AND MOVEMENTS.

Aeneas due from Shanghai Oct. 29.
Afrika due from Shanghai Oct. 21.
Aki Maru due from Japan Oct. 22.
Anchises due from Europe Nov. 2.
Andre Lebon due from Saigon Oct. 8.
Angers due from Shanghai Oct. 8.
Antung due from Europe Oct. 6.
Aratun due from Manila Oct. 5.
Atreus left for Shanghai Sept. 30.
Atsuta Maru left for Shanghai Sept. 30.
Automedon due from Singapore Oct. 8.
Awa Maru due from Japan Oct. 10.
Beltna due from Europe Oct. 22.
Bengloe due from Europe Oct. 4.
Boliver due from Singapore Oct. 13.
Borneo Maru due from Singapore Oct. 17.
Bremerhaven due from Rabaul Oct. 23.
Burma Maru arrived from Japan Oct. 3.
Calchas due from Shanghai Nov. 12.
Change due from Manila Oct. 8.
Chenonceaux due from Europe Nov. 5.
Chifuku Maru arrived from Singapore Oct. 3.
City of Cardiff due from Singapore Oct. 14.
City of Corinth due from Europe Oct. 22.
City of Norwich due from Shanghai Oct. 6.
City of Shanghai due from Singapore Oct. 24.
City of Winnipeg due from Singapore Nov. 8.
Delta due from Singapore Oct. 8.
Diomed due from Europe Nov. 10.
Duisburg due from Shanghai Oct. 30.
Duchessa d'Aosta due from Shanghai Oct. 5.
Emp. of Asia due from Vancouver Oct. 21.
Emp. of France arrived Yokohama Oct. 2.
Emp. of Russia due from Manila Oct. 6.
Esquilino due from Shanghai Oct. 15.
Eumaeus due from Europe Oct. 23.
Formosa due from Japan Nov. 5.
Franken due from Shanghai Oct. 15.
Fulda due from Shanghai Oct. 19.
General Metzinger due from Shanghai Oct. 22.
Genoa Maru due from Japan Oct. 7.
Ginyo Maru due from Japan Oct. 15.
Glenapp arrived from Shanghai Oct. 2.
Glenbeg due from Europe Oct. 10.
Glenahol due from Shanghai Oct. 16.
Hakata Maru due from Japan Oct. 20.
Haruna Maru due from Shanghai Oct. 4.
Imperial Prince due from Singapore Oct. 10.
Ixion due from Singapore Oct. 25.
Iyo Maru due from Singapore Oct. 21.
Javanese Prince due from Singapore Oct. 24.
Kaga Maru due from Australia Oct. 14.
Kalyan due from Shanghai Oct. 28.
Kamo Maru due from Shanghai Oct. 18.
Karmala due from Shanghai Oct. 11.
Kashgar due from Europe Oct. 23.
Kashima Maru due from Singapore Oct. 13.
Katori Maru due from Japan Nov. 16.
Kidderpore due from Europe Oct. 16.
Kores Maru due from Singapore Nov. 4.
Kulmerland due from Europe Oct.

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SHANGHAI	"CHENGTO"	On 4th Oct.	8 a.m.
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SWATOW, AMOY, SWATOW & S'PORE	"ANTUNG"	On 7th Oct.	5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SINKIANG"	On 8th Oct.	8 a.m.
AMOI, S'PORE, N'CHOW & DALNY	"LINAN"	On 9th Oct.	5 p.m.
WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN	"HUICHOW"	On 11th Oct.	11 a.m.
SWATOW & HANGKOW	"KALGAN"	On 13th Oct.	Noon
SWATOW, AMOY, SWATOW & S'PORE	"ANHUI"	On 13th Oct.	5 p.m.
HONGKOW, PAKHOI & HAIKOW	"CHENGTO"	On 17th Oct.	10 a.m.
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	G. METZINGER	22nd Oct.	22nd Oct.
	ANDRE LEBON	5th Nov.	5th Nov.
	PORTHOS	19th Nov.	19th Nov.
	CHENONCEAUX	3rd Dec.	3rd Dec.
	ATHOS II	17th Dec.	17th Dec.
	L'ARTAGNAN	31st Dec.	31st Dec.
	ANGERS	14th Jan.	14th Jan.
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	PORTHOS	22nd Oct.	22nd Oct.
	CHENONCEAUX	5th Nov.	5th Nov.
	ATHOS II	19th Nov.	19th Nov.
	D'ARTAGNAN	3rd Dec.	3rd Dec.
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OCTOBER 2, 1929.													OCTOBER 3, 1929.												
STATION	Hour	Barometer at Sea Level		Temperature	Humidity	Wind			Direction (true)	Force (knots)	Speed (knots)	Hour	Temp	Barometer at Sea Level		Temperature	Humidity	Wind			Direction (true)	Force (knots)	Speed (knots)		
		Inches	Millis.			Direction (true)	Force (knots)	Direction (true)						Inches	Millis.			Direction (true)	Force (knots)	Direction (true)				Force (knots)	
Wladivostok	12	30.30	769.7	68	...	S	1	b	6	30.33	770.4	52	...	N	SWW	4	1	1	...	...	...	...			
Nemuro	11	30.33	771.0	...	...	SSW	1	...	5	30.36	771.0	...	...	N	SSW	4	1	1	...	...	...	...			
Hokodate	...	30.35	770.5	...	...	ESE	...	...	...	30.30	769.5	...	...	N	ENE	1	1	1	...	...	...	...			
Tokio	...	30.35	771.0	...	...	NNE	1	...	...	30.30	769.5	...	...	N	ENE	1	1	1	...	...	...	...			
Kochi	...	30.22	767.3	...	...	...	...	...	...	30.10	764.5	...	...	N	SW	1	1	1	...	...	...	...			
Nagasaki	...	30.10	764.5	...	...	ESE	1	...	...	30.03	764.0	...	...	N	NNE	1	1	1	...	...	...	...			
Kagoshima	...	30.08	764.0	...	...	...	...	...	...	30.02	762.5	...	...	N	ENE	1	2	0	...	...	...	...			
Oshima	...	30.00	762.0	...	...	SSE	1	...	...	29.96	761.0	...	...	N	...	0	0	0	...	...	...	...			
Naha	...	29.96	761.5	...	...	N	1	...	...	29.94	760.5	...	...	N	...	0	0	0	...	...	...	...			
Ishigakijima	...	29.95	761.0	...	...	N	1	...	...	29.94	760.5	...	...	N	...	0	0	0	...	...	...	...			
Bonin Island	...	29.94	760.5	...	...	NE	1	...	...	29.94	760.5	...	...	N	...	0	0	0	...	...	...	...			
Chefoo	...	30.19	766.8	75	86	E	1	...	6	30.23	767.9	65	95	N	...	0	0	0	...	...	...	...			
Shanghai	15	30.15	765.9	75	71	ENE	1	b	...	30.14	765.8	66	85	ENE	1	1	4	0	b	...	...	...			
Gutzlaff	...	30.18	766.6	75	60	NE	4	e	...	30.18	766.6	70	80	N	...	1	4	1	...	...	...	...			
Sharp Peak	...	29.99	761.7	80	78	E	4	...	7	29.98	761.5	76	78	N	...	1	4	0	b	...	...	...			
Amoy	...	29.95	761.7	86	61	E	2	b	6	29.99	761.7	75	81	N	...	1	1	1	b	...	...	...			
Swatow	...	29.96	761.0	83	72	ENE	2	c	...	30.00	762.0	72	95	NNW	1	1	1	b	...	...	...				
Tsiboku	11	29.98	761.4	84	71	ENE	4	b	...	29.95	760.8	72	96	N	...	2	0	0	b	...	...	...			
Taihu	...	29.97	761.1	86	...	W	2	b	...	29.95	760.8	70	...	N	...	2	0	0	b	...	...	...			
Tainan	...	29.94	760.9	80	...	WNW	2	b	...	29.92	759.9	72	...	N	...	2	0	0	b	...	...	...			
Koshon	...	29.91	759.5	86	...	NE	4	b	...	29.89	759.3	77	...	NNE	2	4	0	0	b	...	...	...			
Pescadore	...	29.87	761.1	84	...	NNE	6	c	...	29.84	760.5	77	...	NNE	4	4	0	0	c	...	...	...			
Hong Kong	14	29.94	760.5	81	66	E	4	c	6	29.96	761.0	78	79	ENE	4	4	0	0	c	...	...	...			
Gap Rock	...	29.94	760.0	...	...	ENE	5	c	...	29.94	760.5	...	...	ENE	4	4	0	0	c	...	...	...			
Macao	...	29.93	760.2	90	60	ESE	4	c	...	29.93	760.2	77	84	E	2	2	0	0	c	...	...	...			
Hoikow	...	29.89	759.2	83	76	NE	5	c	...	29.91	759.7	79	88	NE	5	4	0	0	c	...	...	...			
Pratas Island	15	29.88	759.0	80	68	ESE	2	b	7	29.93	760.2	75	93	NE	3	3	0	0	b	...	...	...			
Philips	...	29.82	757.7	77	...	E	2	b	...	29.87	758.7	75	...	N	...	4	0	0	b	...	...	...			
Tourane	...	29.82	757.5	84	...	SSW	2	b	...	29.86	758.4	77	...	N	...	4	0	0	b	...	...	...			
Cape St. James	...	29.81	757.2	82	77	NE	4	b	6	29.84	757.8	81	86	NW	2	2	2	2	0	...	...	...			
Basco	14	29.78	756.3	90	68	NE	4	b	...	29.82	757.5	77	95	SW	2	2	2	2	0	...	...	...			
Aparr	...	29.76	756.0	90	68	NW	4	c	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Tuguegarao	...	29.74	755.4	86	68	NW	4	c	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Vigan	...	29.75	755.7	90	69	SW	4	c	...	28.76	756.0	75	96	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Manila	...	29.69	754.2	90	76	N	4	c	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Caliborog	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Tacloban	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Dalo	...	29.72	754.8	86	75	ESE	4	b	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Cebu	...	29.74	754.4	77	88	NW	4	b	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Surigao	...	29.72	754.8	79	89	NW	1	b	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Swapan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Guam	12.22	29.73	755.1	...	...	NE	1	c	4.22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Yap	11.00	29.75	755.7	...	...	NNW	1	c	5	29.80	756.9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Pelew	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Ponape	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
Labuan	14	29.83	757.7	82	76	W	4	b	6	29.83	757.7	78	46	S	2	2	2	2	0	...	...	...			

October 3d. 10A. 25m.—The anticyclone is now central to the north-east of Hokkaido, and pressure remains low to the east of the Viasas. Fresh monsoon will continue along the south coast and over the N. China Sea. Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inch. Total since January 1, 67.99 inches, against an average of 76.46 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON ON OCTOBER 4.

1.—Formosa Channel ... N.E. winds, moderate; fair.
2.—South coast of China between Hong Kong and Lamoo ...
3.—Hong Kong to Gap Rock ...
4.—South coast of China between Hong Kong and Hainan ...

C. W. JEFFRIES, Director.

HONG KONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, October 3.

	Previous Day	On Date	On Date
Barometer	29.91	30.00	29.87
Temperature	80	83	83
Humidity	70	73	69
Wind	...	...	...
Direction	K	E	E
Force	3	3	2
Weather	C	B	C
Bth	0.04	0.00	0.00

Highest open-air Temperature, 2: 81

Lowest open-air Temperature, 3: 78

B—Bine sky; C—Cloudy; D—Drizzle; F—Fog; L—Lightning; M—Mist; O—Overcast; P—Passing showers; Q—Squalls; R—Rain; T—Thunder.

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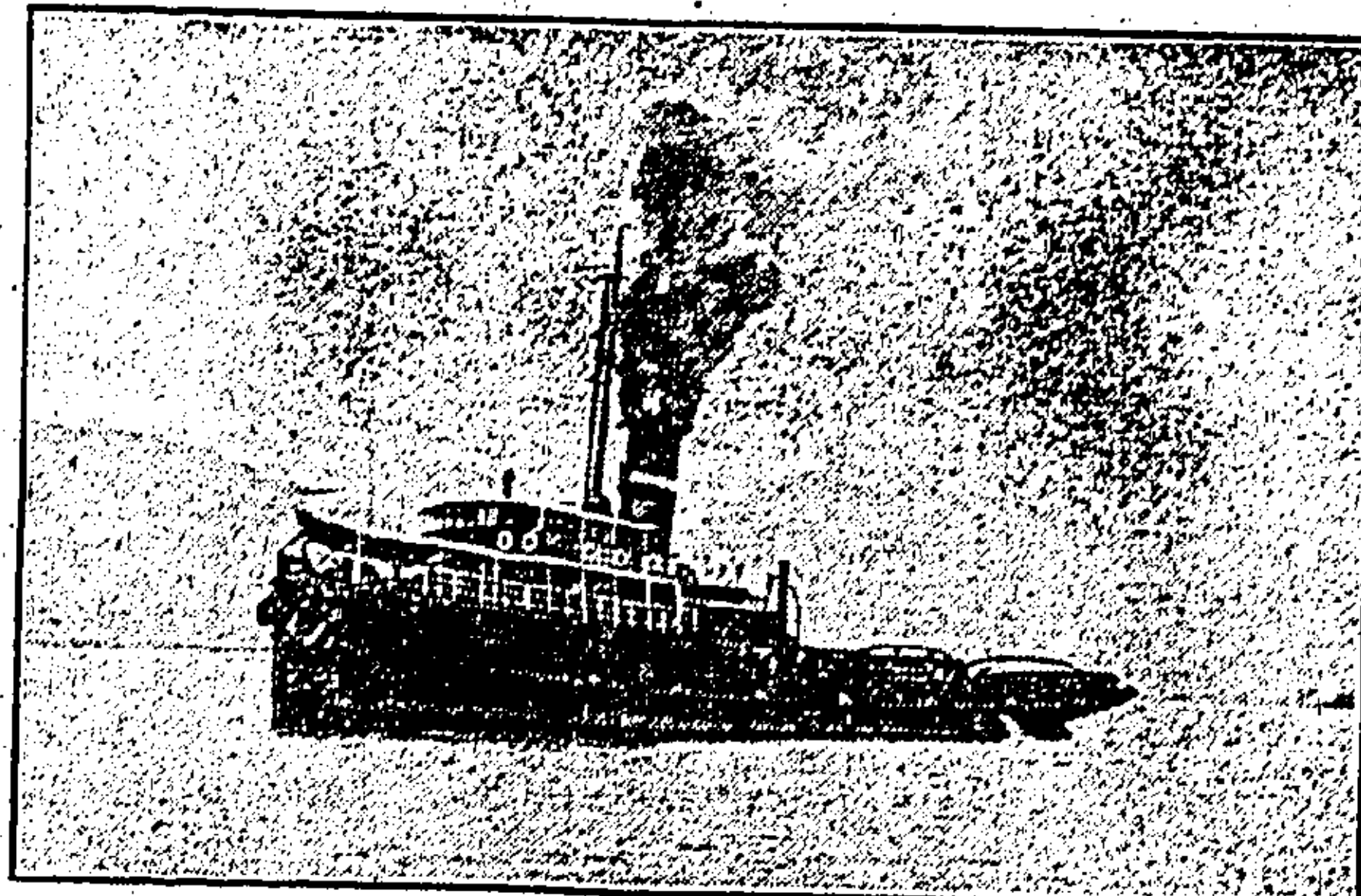
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TSINGTAU via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KWAISANG" "FOOSHING" "WAISHING" "HOSANG"	Sun., 6th Oct., at Noon Thurs., 10th Oct., at 8 a.m. Sun., 18th Oct., at 10 a.m. Wed., 16th Oct., at 10 a.m.
OSAKA via AMOY, MOJI & KOBE	"SUISANG" "HOSANG"	Tues., 15th Oct., at 10 a.m. Wed., 6th Nov., at 7 a.m.
OSAKA via AMOY, MOJI YOKOHAMA & KOBE	"KUMSANG"	Fri., 23th Oct., at 7 a.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"KUTSANG" "NAMSANG" "YUENSANG"	Satur., 5th Oct., at 3 p.m. Mon., 14th Oct., at 3 p.m. Fri., 23th Oct., at 3 p.m.
SANDAEN	"MAUSANG" "HINSANG"	Thurs., 10th Oct., at 10 a.m. Satur., 26th Oct., at Noon
TIENTSIN via WEI-HAI WEI & NEWCHWANG	"CHEONGSHING" "CHIPSANG"	Fri., 4th Oct., at 10 a.m. Sun., 20th Oct., at 10 a.m.

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Hong Kong	Shanghai	Kobe	Yokohama	Vancouver
Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Arrive
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Oct. 9	Oct. 15	Oct. 17	Oct. 17	Oct. 26
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Oct. 11	Oct. 17	Oct. 19	Oct. 19	Oct. 28
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Oct. 13	Oct. 19	Oct. 21	Oct. 21	Oct. 30
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Oct. 15	Oct. 21	Oct. 23	Oct. 23	Oct. 31
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Oct. 17	Oct. 23	Oct. 25	Oct. 25	Nov. 2
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Oct. 19	Oct. 25	Oct. 27	Oct. 27	Nov. 4
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Oct. 21	Oct. 27	Oct. 29	Oct. 29	Nov. 6
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Oct. 23	Oct. 29	Oct. 31	Oct. 31	Nov. 8
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Oct. 25	Oct. 31	Nov. 2	Nov. 2	Nov. 10
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Oct. 27	Nov. 2	Nov. 4	Nov. 4	Nov. 12
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Oct. 29	Nov. 4	Nov. 6	Nov. 6	Nov. 14
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Oct. 31	Nov. 6	Nov. 8	Nov. 8	Nov. 16
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Nov. 2	Nov. 8	Nov. 10	Nov. 10	Nov. 18
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Nov. 4	Nov. 10	Nov. 12	Nov. 12	Nov. 20
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Nov. 6	Nov. 12	Nov. 14	Nov. 14	Nov. 22
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Nov. 8	Nov. 14	Nov. 16	Nov. 16	Nov. 24
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Nov. 10	Nov. 16	Nov. 18	Nov. 18	Nov. 26
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Nov. 12	Nov. 18	Nov. 20	Nov. 20	Nov. 28
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Nov. 14	Nov. 20	Nov. 22	Nov. 22	Nov. 30
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Nov. 16	Nov. 22	Nov. 24	Nov. 24	Dec. 2
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Nov. 18	Nov. 24	Nov. 26	Nov. 26	Dec. 4
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Nov. 20	Nov. 26	Nov. 28	Nov. 28	Dec. 6
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Nov. 22	Nov. 28	Nov. 30	Nov. 30	Dec. 8
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Nov. 24	Nov. 30	Dec. 2	Dec. 2	Dec. 10
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Nov. 26	Dec. 2	Dec. 4	Dec. 4	Dec. 12
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Nov. 28	Dec. 4	Dec. 6	Dec. 6	Dec. 14
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Nov. 30	Dec. 6	Dec. 8	Dec. 8	Dec. 16
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Dec. 2	Dec. 8	Dec. 10	Dec. 10	Dec. 18
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Dec. 4	Dec. 10	Dec. 12	Dec. 12	Dec. 20
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Dec. 6	Dec. 12	Dec. 14	Dec. 14	Dec. 22
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Dec. 8	Dec. 14	Dec. 16	Dec. 16	Dec. 24
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Dec. 10	Dec. 16	Dec. 18	Dec. 18	Dec. 26
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Dec. 12	Dec. 18	Dec. 20	Dec. 20	Dec. 28
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Dec. 14	Dec. 20	Dec. 22	Dec. 22	Dec. 30
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Dec. 16	Dec. 22	Dec. 24	Dec. 24	Jan. 1
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Dec. 18	Dec. 24	Dec. 26	Dec. 26	Jan. 3
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Dec. 20	Dec. 26	Dec. 28	Dec. 28	Jan. 5
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Dec. 22	Dec. 28	Dec. 30	Dec. 30	Jan. 7
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Dec. 24	Dec. 30	Jan. 1	Jan. 1	Jan. 9
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Dec. 26	Jan. 1	Jan. 3	Jan. 3	Jan. 11
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Dec. 28	Jan. 3	Jan. 5	Jan. 5	Jan. 13
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Dec. 30	Jan. 5	Jan. 7	Jan. 7	Jan. 15
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Jan. 1	Jan. 7	Jan. 9	Jan. 9	Jan. 17
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Jan. 3	Jan. 9	Jan. 11	Jan. 11	Jan. 19
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Jan. 5	Jan. 11	Jan. 13	Jan. 13	Jan. 21
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Jan. 7	Jan. 13	Jan. 15	Jan. 15	Jan. 23
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Jan. 9	Jan. 15	Jan. 17	Jan. 17	Jan. 25
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Jan. 11	Jan. 17	Jan. 19	Jan. 19	Jan. 27
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Jan. 13	Jan. 19	Jan. 21	Jan. 21	Jan. 29
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Jan. 15	Jan. 21	Jan. 23	Jan. 23	Jan. 31
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Jan. 17	Jan. 23	Jan. 25	Jan. 25	Feb. 2
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Jan. 19	Jan. 25	Jan. 27	Jan. 27	Feb. 4
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Jan. 21	Jan. 27	Jan. 29	Jan. 29	Feb. 6
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Jan. 23	Jan. 29	Jan. 31	Jan. 31	Feb. 8
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Jan. 25	Jan. 31	Feb. 2	Feb. 2	Feb. 10
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Jan. 27	Feb. 2	Feb. 4	Feb. 4	Feb. 12
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Jan. 29	Feb. 4	Feb. 6	Feb. 6	Feb. 14
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Jan. 31	Feb. 6	Feb. 8	Feb. 8	Feb. 16
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Feb. 2	Feb. 8	Feb. 10	Feb. 10	Feb. 18
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Feb. 4	Feb. 10	Feb. 12	Feb. 12	Feb. 20
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Feb. 6	Feb. 12	Feb. 14	Feb. 14	Feb. 22
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Feb. 8	Feb. 14	Feb. 16	Feb. 16	Feb. 24
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Feb. 10	Feb. 16	Feb. 18	Feb. 18	Feb. 26
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Feb. 12	Feb. 18	Feb. 20	Feb. 20	Feb. 28
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Feb. 14	Feb. 20	Feb. 22	Feb. 22	Mar. 1
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Feb. 16	Feb. 22	Feb. 24	Feb. 24	Mar. 3
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Feb. 18	Feb. 24	Feb. 26	Feb. 26	Mar. 5
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Feb. 20	Feb. 26	Feb. 28	Feb. 28	Mar. 7
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Feb. 22	Feb. 28	Mar. 1	Mar. 1	Mar. 9
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Feb. 24	Mar. 1	Mar. 3	Mar. 3	Mar. 11
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Feb. 26	Mar. 3	Mar. 5	Mar. 5	Mar. 13
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Feb. 28	Mar. 5	Mar. 7	Mar. 7	Mar. 15
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Mar. 1	Mar. 7	Mar. 9	Mar. 9	Mar. 17
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Mar. 3	Mar. 9	Mar. 11	Mar. 11	Mar. 19
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Mar. 5	Mar. 11	Mar. 13	Mar. 13	Mar. 21
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Mar. 7	Mar. 13	Mar. 15	Mar. 15	Mar. 23
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Mar. 9	Mar. 15	Mar. 17	Mar. 17	Mar. 25
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Mar. 11	Mar. 17	Mar. 19	Mar. 19	Mar. 27
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Mar. 13	Mar. 19	Mar. 21	Mar. 21	Mar. 29
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Mar. 15	Mar. 21	Mar. 23	Mar. 23	Mar. 31
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Mar. 17	Mar. 23	Mar. 25	Mar. 25	Apr. 2
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Mar. 19	Mar. 25	Mar. 27	Mar. 27	Apr. 4
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Mar. 21	Mar. 27	Mar. 29	Mar. 29	Apr. 6
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Mar. 23	Mar. 29	Mar. 31	Mar. 31	Apr. 8
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Mar. 25	Mar. 31	Apr. 2	Apr. 2	Apr. 10
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Mar. 27	Apr. 2	Apr. 4	Apr. 4	Apr. 12
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Mar. 29	Apr. 4	Apr. 6	Apr. 6	Apr. 14
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Mar. 31	Apr. 6	Apr. 8	Apr. 8	Apr. 16
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Apr. 2	Apr. 8	Apr. 10	Apr. 10	Apr. 18
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Apr. 4	Apr. 10	Apr. 12	Apr. 12	Apr. 20
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Apr. 6	Apr. 12	Apr. 14	Apr. 14	Apr. 22
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Apr. 8	Apr. 14	Apr. 16	Apr. 16	Apr. 24
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Apr. 10	Apr. 16	Apr. 18	Apr. 18	Apr. 26
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Apr. 12	Apr. 18	Apr. 20	Apr. 20	Apr. 28
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Apr. 14	Apr. 20	Apr. 22	Apr. 22	Apr. 30
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Apr. 16	Apr. 22	Apr. 24	Apr. 24	May 2
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Apr. 18	Apr. 24	Apr. 26	Apr. 26	May 4
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Apr. 20	Apr. 26	Apr. 28	Apr. 28	May 6
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Apr. 22	Apr. 28	Apr. 30	Apr. 30	May 8
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Apr. 24	Apr. 30	May 2	May 2	May 10
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Apr. 26	May 2	May 4	May 4	May 12
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Apr. 28	May 4	May 6	May 6	May 14
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Apr. 30	May 6	May 8	May 8	May 16
EMPERESS OF ASIA...May 2	May 8	May 10	May 10	May 18
EMPERESS OF CANADA...May 4	May 10	May 12	May 12	May 20
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...May 6	May 12	May 14	May 14	May 22
EMPERESS OF ASIA...May 8	May 14	May 16	May 16	May 24
EMPERESS OF CANADA...May 10	May 16	May 18	May 18	May 26
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...May 12	May 18	May 20	May 20	May 28
EMPERESS OF ASIA...May 14	May 20	May 22	May 22	May 30
EMPERESS OF CANADA...May 16	May 22	May 24	May 24	Jun. 1
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...May 18	May 24	May 26	May 26	Jun. 3
EMPERESS OF ASIA...May 20	May 26	May 28	May 28	Jun. 5
EMPERESS OF CANADA...May 22	May 28	May 30	May 30	Jun. 7
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...May 24	May 30	Jun. 1	Jun. 1	Jun. 9
EMPERESS OF ASIA...May 26	Jun. 1	Jun. 3	Jun. 3	Jun. 11
EMPERESS OF CANADA...May 28	Jun. 3	Jun. 5	Jun. 5	Jun. 13
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...May 30	Jun. 5	Jun. 7	Jun. 7	Jun. 15
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Jun. 1	Jun. 7	Jun. 9	Jun. 9	Jun. 17
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Jun. 3	Jun. 9	Jun. 11	Jun. 11	Jun. 19
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Jun. 5	Jun. 11	Jun. 13	Jun. 13	Jun. 21
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Jun. 7	Jun. 13	Jun. 15	Jun. 15	Jun. 23
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Jun. 9	Jun. 15	Jun. 17	Jun. 17	Jun. 25
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Jun. 11	Jun. 17	Jun. 19	Jun. 19	Jun. 27
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Jun. 13	Jun. 19	Jun. 21	Jun. 21	Jun. 29
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Jun. 15	Jun. 21	Jun. 23	Jun. 23	Jul. 1
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Jun. 17	Jun. 23	Jun. 25	Jun. 25	Jul. 3
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Jun. 19	Jun. 25	Jun. 27	Jun. 27	Jul. 5
EMPERESS OF CANADA...Jun. 21	Jun. 27	Jun. 29	Jun. 29	Jul. 7
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EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Jul. 17	Jul. 23	Jul. 25	Jul. 25	Aug. 3
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Jul. 19	Jul. 25	Jul. 27	Jul. 27	Aug. 5
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EMPERESS OF ASIA...Aug. 1	Aug. 7	Aug. 9	Aug. 9	Aug. 17
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EMPERESS OF RUSSIA...Aug. 5	Aug. 11	Aug. 13	Aug. 13	Aug. 21
EMPERESS OF ASIA...Aug. 7	Aug. 13	Aug. 15	Aug. 15	Aug. 23
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INWARD MAILS.

FROM	PER	DATE
JAPAN & SHANGHAI	Hakura Maru	4th Oct.
Australia & Manila	Arifura	5th Oct.
SHANGHAI & SWATOW	Singapore	5th Oct.
U.S.A. (San Francisco, 6th Sept.)	Pres. Adams	5th Oct.
HONGKONG, JAPAN & SHANGHAI	Amoy	6th Oct.
Europe via Nipponkai (Letters and Papers London, 5th Sept.)	Emp. of Russia	6th Oct.
Manila	Pres. Grant	6th Oct.
U.S.A. (San Francisco, 11th Sept.)	Tsigo Maru	7th Oct.
HONGKONG, JAPAN & SHANGHAI	Pres. Lincoln	7th Oct.
U.S.A. (San Francisco, 13th Sept.)	Angora	8th Oct.
HONGKONG, JAPAN & SHANGHAI	Andre Labon	8th Oct.
JAPAN & SHANGHAI	Della	8th Oct.
SWATOW	Perseus	8th Oct.
SWATOW & STRAITS	Automedon	9th Oct.
SWATOW & STRAITS	Changta	11th Oct.
U.S.A. (Seattle, 21st Sept.)	Pres. Cleveland	11th Oct.
JAPAN & SHANGHAI	Kashima Maru	13th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Kaga Maru	14th Oct.
Australia & Manila	Gingyo Maru	15th Oct.

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FOR	PER	DATE & TIME
Saigon, Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, P. & S. Africa & S.W. American Ports	La Plata Maru	Friday, 4th, 9.30 A.M.
*Manila, Australia (via Cebu), New Zealand (via Brisbane), & New Zealand via Brisbane—due Brisbane, 21st Oct.	Burma Maru	Reg. 11.45 A.M.
Manila, Australia, Australia & New Zealand via Thurelay (Island) due Thursday Island, 19th Oct.	St. Albans	Reg. 1.45 P.M.
Fort Bayard	Wing Wo	Reg. 1.45 P.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hakura Maru	Reg. 3.00 P.M.
Air Mail for London		Reg. 4.30 P.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & S. Africa, Aden, Egypt & EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 2nd Nov.	Hakura Maru	Reg. 4.30 P.M.
Swatow	Kwai Sang	Saturday, 5th, 10.00 A.M.
Japan, and *Canada—due Victoria, B.C., 28th October	Tatibius	Par. 10.30 A.M.
Straits & Calcutta	Elwan	Par. 1.00 P.M.
Amoy	Tykarado	Par. 3.30 P.M.
Manila	Pres. Adams	Par. 5.00 P.M.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hakura Maru	Sunday, 6th, 9.00 A.M.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kwangchow	9.00 A.M.
Shanghai	Tyoma Maru	Monday, 7th, 8.30 A.M.
Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., *Canada, *C. & *S. America & *EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 30th Oct.	Pres. Grant	Par. 8.45 P.M.
Shanghai	Pres. Grant	Par. 5.00 P.M.

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Hong Kong, 17th Apr., 1929. [28]

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For the Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation,
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Hong Kong, 27th May, 1929. [34]

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Hong Kong, 1st Oct., 1929. [39]

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